

PARIS PREPARING QUARTERS FOR PRESIDENT'S VISIT

Town House of Prince Murat At His Disposal

ON BOARD U. S. S. GEORGE WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—(B) Wireless to the Associated Press.)—President Wilson's ship today is running thru a severe wind and rainstorm. It is maintaining its fixed speed, however, and is due to pass around the Azores on Sunday.

After reaching the Azores the presidential liner will pick up more units of the naval escort.

Mr. Wilson slept until a late hour this morning and there were no conferences with his advisers.

PAIS, Dec. 7.—The town house of Prince and Princess Joachim Murat, placed at the disposal of President and Mrs. Wilson during their stay in Paris at the request of the government will soon be completely renovated and ready to receive the American chief executive and his wife.

the Executive and his wife. The Rue de Valenciennes is the house is located, while one of the most fashionable neighborhoods of Paris contains all sorts of houses. Adjoining the Murat house on the right is the St. Marie Institution, a large school for children consisting of many buildings and a playground. Across the street is a woman artist and a doctor and there is a group of officers and a butcher store. On the corner there is the familiar little French cafe with a few iron tables and chairs on the sidewalk in front, where signs announce that wine and beer are for sale. Inside the gates of the Murat mansion is a large gravelled

will be stationed. A low ornamental iron fence on the side away from the school separates the court from the spacious grounds and gardens stretching away for half a block and enclosed by a stone wall giving complete privacy. Broad gravelled walks wind thru green lawns under

rees of great size. A stroll around the gardens gives a view of elaborate conservatories at the rear of the house where, also are the servants' quarters, the

servants' quarters, the garage and other outbuildings. In the house itself the army of workmen and servants were busy today cleaning and replacing furniture, paintings, portraits and beautiful marble statuary. The carpets and rugs were rolled up in the great hall which is considered one of the most elaborate in Paris. There was a smell of fresh paint and soap everywhere. American soldiers were doing all sorts of things in the mansion.

The president and his suite will have their own private telephone exchange as well as private telephone wires.

On the lower floor of the mansion, in addition to salon, ballroom, dining and breakfast rooms, there are a private study, which the president will use and offices for his personal staff.

In the sleeping chambers are enormous four poster beds, some of which require little steps to enable the occupant to climb in.

Princess Murat expects that her home will be in readiness to receive the royal couple.

HAIG'S MEN IN COLOGNE
London, Dec. 7.—Field Marshal Haig, in his official report tonight on the movements of the British army in Germany says: "Cologne was entered last night

by our advanced troops."

**WEATHER INDICATIONS
AND TEMPERATURES**

Illinois: — Increasing cloudiness Sunday probably becoming unsettled, Monday continued mild temperature.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures are as follows:

	7p. m.	High.	Low.
Jacksonville, Ill.,	55	61	31
Poston	28	28	14

Buffalo	42	44	22
New York	40	40	22
New Orleans	66	76	54
Chicago	49	49	39
Detroit	44	46	28
Omaha	58	60	36
Minneapolis	42	48	30
Sefer	40	50	40
Helena	40	50	40
San Francisco	56	56	48
Winnipeg	36	40	12

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7. —
Weather predictions for the week

beginning Monday, issued by the weather bureau today are:

● **Region of Great Lakes**—Considerable cloudy weather during the week with occasional rain or snow after Monday. Temperatures will average about normal.

● **Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys**—Rain about

Tuesday and probably Wednesday; possibly snow in extreme upper Mississippi valley. Temperatures above normal. Generally fair the second half of the week with nearly normal temperatures.

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OUR GROWING NAVY.

To read about the building program that has been outlined for the United States navy it does not appear that disarmament is expected to be a part of the peace program or that of the projected league of nations. If present expectations are carried out by 1920 the United States will have a total of 1297 ships, including 40 battleships and 329 destroyers. It is an interesting record, too, that when this country entered the war the total of ships was 364 and when the armistice was signed this number had grown to 777. These figures give the best picture of the failure of the enemy's submarine campaign.

ANOTHER DRY APPEAL.

Along with other antiquated talk comes the appeal of Secretary of War Baker, in which he calls upon the people not to give liquor to returning soldiers in celebration of the home-coming. The secretary voices a feeling that will find general accord when he says that a drunken soldier is a disgrace to the flag. The appeal says too that to offer liquor to a man in uniform is contrary to law, a breach of military discipline and an injury to the returning troops. Mr. Baker's well-timed appeal to help the army keep its splendid record for cleanliness and sobriety should have the cordial support that it merits.

KEEPING AT THE W. S. S. TOP.

It is proposed by the Morgan County War Savings committee to make a special call during the remaining weeks of this month for the support of the W. S. S. campaign. The sales recorded in this county some months ago were so patriotically generous that Morgan county carried off the honors of the state. That proud position at the head of the list can be maintained, according to Dr. Ames, county chairman, if the people who pledged to purchase additional amounts of stamps or certificates in December will only remember to make good those pledges. Here is the chance to invest in securities which really have certain advantages over Liberty bonds in the matter of interest and convertibility into cash. Along with the opportunity for

investment is the chance to carry out the government's request. If you made a pledge for December, now is the time to go the rest of the way.

NOT USED TO IT.

The words of commendation in the journal yesterday from a west side resident, expressing appreciation for improvement in city lighting, caused something of a sensation at the city hall. As one commissioner expressed it, "We are not used to praise and hardly know how to take it."

A CHURCH SERVICE IN THE HOME.

Since the health regulations have been in effect and it has not been possible to hold church services, a suggestive service for use in the home has appeared each week in the columns of the Journal. These services have been prepared by Rev. M. L. Pontius and at his earnest request his name has been withheld. However, as this act of public service has continued thru so long a period it seems proper to mention the authorship now.

Rev. Mr. Pontius' thought has evidently been that the holding of these Sunday morning services for a few moments in the homes of Jacksonville would make some contribution to the religious life of the community and help on a measure to prevent the spiritual losses so likely to occur thru the long cessation of church activities.

Those who have followed the services have found them thorough breathing a fine spirit of helpfulness.

WAR AFTERMATH.

A long list of names of Americans said to have been friendly toward Germany before the war began was recently published. The list contained the names of some men whose friendliness was said to have continued even after the war declaration. Most of the names printed are associated with prominent educational institutions in the U. S. and a series of denials is to be expected. It is a bit of the war aftermath which will be quite disconcerting to a number of Americans holding high places, and the record will certainly not increase their present prestige nor add to their influence in the future.

THE FARMER AND HIS CORN.

Morgan county farmers are beginning to realize that there is no question about the general shortage of the corn crop, for buyers continue to come from other counties with the result that it has been easy to secure prices for new corn well above the market quotations. This demand from feeders has been so strong that deliveries to the elevators have been much curtailed. Nevertheless in a Chicago market the price of cash grain has come down 10 to 12 cents a bushel in the past two days.

There is evidently a desire on the part of the "men higher up" to bring the cash and future grain

prices closer together. The shortage of the corn crop and the great demand for all foodstuffs both have something to do with making new corn sell at prices from \$1.25 to \$1.35. Yet there is an undercurrent which indicates lower levels and one grain man known nationally has recently prophesied that in a year and a half \$1 will buy a bushel of wheat and that prices for corn and other grain will be relatively low.

Farming is accounted a safe and stable business but, after all, there is a good deal of "gamble" about it, and the farmer must figure a good deal on the future.

RED CROSS IS YOUR ORGANIZATION.

The campaign for Red Cross membership will begin Monday, December 16. The work of the Red Cross organization has been so conspicuously good that it seems almost superfluous now to speak any words in commendation of the organization or in support of the campaign plans. The Red Cross society is proposing that every man, woman and child in this county be given the opportunity for membership and it is certainly to be hoped that the opportunity to thus assist in a great and noble cause will be generally embraced.

There are already about 9000 Morgan county members of the Red Cross society and so the facts about the organization and its purposes are known to practically every resident. While the Red Cross is a war-time agency for the relief of suffering, its work is by no means limited to war days. Red Cross work began long before the war opened and let us hope that Red Cross work will continue as long as the world stands. The war served simply to emphasize the benefits of the Red Cross organization, its mercy and beneficence. The Red Cross needs your support and you and yours needs its protecting care.

AN Ounce OF PREVENTION.

Take a ray or two of sunshine, add a little bit of cheer, And scatter all around you, when anyone comes near, Give the best your Maker gave you.

Very sure the world has need, Keep on smiling, nor be grouchy, glooms

A nest where germs will breed, Wash the outside of the platter, and the inside if you will, Use of soap and water plenty, or a "cleaner," better still.

Last, but not least, be wise as serpents, Gentle as the mother dove, Giving to the erring brother just a little bit of love.

Then your head will keep 'bove water.

You your daily task pursue, For the pesky bug can't get you, And the "flu" will flee from you, S. A. Hughes.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

December 8, 1862—"Fort Clark Mills" at Peoria, owned by Robinson & Co., were entirely destroyed by fire, together with 4000 bushels of wheat and sixty or seventy barrels of flour. Loss \$20,000; insured for \$10,000.

Rippling Rhymes
By Walt Mason

I told you, Wilhelm, how 'twould be, when you unsheathed your snickersnee, and said you'd rule the world; I said that any bonehead king who tried to pull so coarse a thing, would from his throne be hurled. And now your splendors all are gone, your crown and scepter are in pawn, no homage do you know; and while, distressed, you walk the floor, I whisper at your bedroom door, "Oh, Bill! I told you so!" Your German Gott, to whom you call, has turned your picture to the wall, the last great, crushing blow; and while your fingernails you chew, I whisper softly down the flue, "Oh, Bill! I told you so!" You wished to see Time marching back along a dark and dismal track to feudalism's age; you'd have the world no longer see the institutions of the free, in your blind, vandal rage. I told you

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'twas too big a stunt for one appointed Prussian runt and tried to stay your hand; but you laugh all my words to scorn and blew a blast upon your horn, and straddled to beat the band. And now you go your path alone; you have no scepter and no throne, no courtiers bending low; and while you dream of seas of gore, I'm at the keyhole of your door, to say, "I told you so!" You'll hear me when the midnight rain is streaming down the window pane, and when the breezes blow; oh, when you sleep and when you eat, you'll hear me evermore repeat, the words, "I told you so!"

THE SOLDIERS' INSURANCE REWARD.

More than 4,000,000 officers and men of the army and navy are now carrying war risk insurance provided by the government. This runs to the grand total of \$36,000,000. This insurance is not limited to death or to disability caused by the war and the men who are being discharged are being impressed with the desirability of retaining their insurance. It can be retained in its present form for a period of five years and then without physical examination changed into other forms of insurance. The rates are the lowest ever provided for reliable insurance and the policies give further evidence of the care that this government takes of men in the service. The right to continue the insurance after the war is one of the "emoluments" of service.

FUNERALS

VanZandt.
Funeral services for George W. VanZandt were held at Jacksonville cemetery at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in charge of the Rev. M. L. Pontius. The flowers were cared for by Mrs. Raush, Mrs. Lola Phillips and Mrs. John Brown. The bearers were: C. Riggs Taylor, C. E. McDougall, J. W. Bowen, A. C. Rice, D. T. Heimlich and J. E. Stice.

McNeal.
Funeral services for William Anderson McNeal were held at Hebron cemetery Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock in charge of the Rev. C. G. Cantrell of Concord assisted by Rev. T. J. Simons and the Rev. G. T. Wetzel. The music was furnished by Miss Sarah Swain, Miss Emma Swain, Coy Swain and Arthur Swain. The flowers were cared for by Miss Maude Farmer and Miss Inez Bielschmidt. The bearers were: C. H. Wilson, William L. Hopper, W. H. Foster, George L. Stice, F. E. Hynes and Henry Bielschmidt.

Tivnen.
Funeral services for Miss Mary Tivnen were held at nine o'clock Saturday morning from O'Donnell's undertaking parlors in charge of the Rev. Father Sloan. Burial was made in Calvary cemetery.

Cully.
Funeral services for Mrs. Charles W. Cully were conducted at Jacksonville cemetery at two o'clock Saturday afternoon in charge of the Rev. G. T. Wetzel, assisted by the Rev. W. R. Leslie.

There was a large attendance of relatives and friends at the cemetery to pay a last tribute to the memory of the deceased and Rev. Mr. Wetzel in his discourse offered many words of comfort to those so deeply bereaved.

Miss Hazel Belle Long sang effectively "Asleep in Jesus" and "When you Ring Those Golden Bells for You and Me". These songs being favorites of the deceased.

There were many beautiful floral offerings and these were cared for by Mrs. Thelma Ator, Miss Ruby Cully, Miss Edna Stout, Miss Mary Black, Mrs. Irene Caldwell and Mrs. Eva Strawn.

The bearers were: Homer Cully, Howard Cully, Edgar Cully, A. D. Arnold, C. S. Black and Frank Green.

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WITH THE SICK

Paul Gard who has been ill with pneumonia for the past six weeks is somewhat improved. He is able to be up some time.

George W. Sisco of Bluffs is lying dangerously ill.

Major Rodgers who has been ill with influenza for the past ten days is improving but it will still be a number of days before he is able to leave his home on South Diamond street.

Mrs. Smith of 903 North Church street, has received word from her son George Smith, stationed at Camp Sheridan, Ala., that he has recently received the appointment of Sergeant. He expects to visit his mother in a few weeks.

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EXEMPTION BOARD NEWS

The name of Pedro F. McLaughlin was given yesterday in the list of names reported to the adjutant general as delinquent. Yesterday the board received a special delivery letter from McLaughlin, who is at Nowood, Wyo. His failure to report before was satisfactorily explained, as he is living at a point 43 miles from a railroad.

The board is expecting at no distant day final orders with reference to the closing of the board offices. An order recently sent provides that questionnaires shall be sealed after Tuesday Dec. 10, which means that nothing shall be added or taken from these records. The clerks attached to the service will probably soon be released, but it is reasonable to expect that the government will provide for some interim between their release and the notices sent.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner or subject to the Democratic primary election.

D. T. Summers.

I hereby announce myself candidate for County Commissioner on the Republican ticket subject to the Primary election Jan. 25.

M. CLARENCE THOMPSON.

DEATHS

French.
Clifton Earle, six weeks old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl French, of 907 East College avenue, died Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock of pneumonia, following an attack of influenza. The little one had never been well, and had not the strength to counteract the disease.

The remains were taken by automobile Saturday evening to Milton, where interment will be made at 10 o'clock this morning, at Douglas cemetery.

The deceased is survived by his parents and one sister, Hyla.

Rutherford.
James L. Rutherford born May 27, 1847, Winchester, Ill., passed away Dec. 7th, 1918. He spent his early life in and around Winchester.

March 5th 1868 he was united in marriage to Sarah M. Coultas, who preceded him in death Aug. 11th, 1886. To this union were born the following children, who survive him: Herbert, Venice, Calif.; Louis, Riggsdon, Ill.; Mrs. Nina Stevenson, St. Louis, Mo.; Mrs. Belle Jewsbury, west of the city; Roy Rutherford and Ted Rutherford, north of the city.

On Dec. 8th, 1887 he was united in marriage to Olive L. Coultas, a sister to his first wife. To this union was born two children, Mrs. Fannie Brackett and J. L. Rutherford, Jr., both of Jacksonville.

He followed the occupation of farming at Riggsdon, Ill., until 17 years ago, at which time he moved to Jacksonville where he has since the transfer and livery business for 8 years, after which he conducted a blacksmith shop on North Main street, from which he retired 3 years ago on account of declining health.

Funeral arrangements will be made as soon as word is received from his son in California.

Miss Lillian Davis is at her home on Webster avenue for a brief visit. Miss Davis is engaged in welfare work in St. Louis and far a recent period was occupied as a Y canteen worker at a southern army camp.

Prof. W. H. Garrett of Baker University, Baldwin, Kans., is a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ayers Mrs. Garrett has been here for the past two weeks.

ERROR IN NAME.
C. F. Bonds of Franklin vicinity is a candidate for the Republican nomination for county commissioner. In mention previously made the name was given as James Bond.

MEETING AT HARTLAND SCHOOL HOUSE

There will be a meeting at the Hartland school house in township 13-9 on Tuesday evening, December 10th for the purpose of hearing "How to Control Black-leg in Cattle." Dr. M. J. Huggins, of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, will discuss this subject. Every farmer in the vicinity is invited to attend this meeting.

George B. Kendall, County Agent.

GOOD BUSINESS YESTERDAY.
Business yesterday was unusually good in nearly all lines. The square was crowded with automobiles in every available space and merchants were generally as busy as could be. People are beginning to realize that Jacksonville is a safe place to trade in every respect, physically, in price, in quality of goods and courtesy extended.

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BIRTH RECORD

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OLD SOLDIERS' NAMES.
Altho Major McDougall has taken such pains to secure the names of veterans, the publication of the names in the papers has disclosed the lack of quite a number, which are being referred to the gentleman from day to day. The time is not long and all people who know of any omitted names please report to the major promptly.

TAKEN SUDDENLY ILL.
Miss Katherine Thompson of Alexander was compelled to expose herself somewhat at the funeral of her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson, and was taken Friday night with a violent attack of indigestion. Two physicians were called and the young lady was somewhat relieved Saturday.

FUNERAL NOTICE.
The funeral of Mrs. Frank P. Stice will be held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the undertaking parlors of John H. O'Donnell.

CARD OF THANKS.
We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who assisted us so kindly during illness and death of Della B. Newby. Also for the many beautiful flowers.
Sisters and Brothers.

FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON.

The funeral of Mrs. Clyde Moffett will be held this afternoon at 2:30 at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boruff at Murrayville. Interment will be made in Murrayville cemetery.

IS OVERSEAS.

Mrs. Mary L. Bartholow has received the announcement of the safe arrival of her son, John Bartholow in England.

HE ALSO WAS THERE

J. D. Adams of 1342 South Main street stated to a Journal reporter yesterday that he also was present on December 5, 1863, when the farmers hauled wood to the soldiers' families. Mr. Adams was working for Pierce Holmes and brought in a big load of wood. He said that the wood was cut in twelve foot lengths and that he hauled probably a cord and a half.

Lathrop Ward of Battle Creek, Mich., is in the city visiting his father, Charles H. Ward and his sister, Miss Florence Ward.

GEORGE HALL FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

A number of persons have mentioned very favorably the name of George Hall of Alexander for member of the county board. He is widely known as a high class citizen and good business man.

RECOVERS FROM OPERATION.

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Fred W. Upham, treasurer of the Republican national committee, who recently underwent an operation for the removal of a cataract from his right eye, left the hospital and returned home today.

It was announced that the c.

TEMPORARY INFUNCTION ISSUED

East St. Louis, Ill., Dec. 7.—A temporary injunction restraining the mayor and city clerk of Peru, Ill., from interfering with the divisions of the Illinois Traction System today was issued by Federal Judge English. The Peru city officers had refused to permit the cars to operate in the city since the company raised its fare to three cents a mile it was said.

SOLDIER JUMPS IN RIVER; DROWNS

Chicago, Dec. 7.—A soldier identified from papers found in his uniform as Abraham Shrapire, lately of the 161st. depot brigade at Camp Grant, jumped into the Chicago river late today and drowned while a rush hour crowd passing over the Jackson Boulevard bridge looked on. Among his papers was a photograph of a young woman on which was written "Cousin Berdita, Minneapolis."

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CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. W. M. Wright of Franklin was a city caller yesterday.

Misses Luia and Mildred Tribble of Franklin were Saturday visitors in the city.

W. E. Mills of Springfield was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Lawrence McDaniel of St. Louis was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cain have returned from Louisville, Ky., where Mr. Cain has been stationed at Camp Taylor.

Mrs. Richard Yates spent Saturday with Mrs. Henry Yates at 830 West State street.

Misses Ima Bond and Esther Claus are enjoying a visit today with the family of T. U. Fox of Sinclair.

Miss Lucille Farrow, 232 East College street, has gone to the emergency hospital with an attack of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Scholfield and children were city callers from Lynnville yesterday. Mr. Scholfield recently lost a good work horse. The animal was kicked by another horse and suffered a broken leg and had to be killed.

A. J. Barber of Woodson was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Richard Butler and family, motored up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

Abe Dinwiddie of the vicinity of Litterberry was a traveler to the city yesterday.

William Zahn of Concord was a city visitor yesterday.

George Foster of Alexander made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Fred Grey and son were city callers from Murrayville yesterday.

Lloyd Reese and Thomas Hem-brough of Asbury were callers on city people yesterday.

Archie Hoagland of Pisgah was among the city arrivals yesterday. Milton Seymour of Franklin visited the city yesterday.

L. H. Hart of Sinclair was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Edward A. Sawtelle of Markham had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

Miss Theima Hall of Petersburg was among those having business in the city Saturday.

Miss Clara Sears of Beardstown was shopping in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Miller of Modesto spent Saturday shopping in Jacksonville.

O. T. Marston superintendent of the Barry schools, was in Jacksonville interviewing I. Boyle, manager of the Routt college basketball team. Mr. Marston refused to comment upon the interview, but Mr. Boyle hinted that a game had been under discussion with the fast Barry High in the near future.

Mrs. W. S. Curtis of Chapin was a business caller in the city yesterday.

C. Justus Wright and son of Murrayville, paid the city a visit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Irving and Claude Orr and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Birchfield and daughter Gertrude were all in the city from Chambersburg yesterday.

E. F. Bailey and two daughters of Winchester were callers in the city Saturday.

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\$30.00 Coats reduced to \$22.50
\$25.00 Coats reduced to \$17.50
\$20.00 Coats reduced to \$14.50

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\$10.00 Coats reduced to \$8.00
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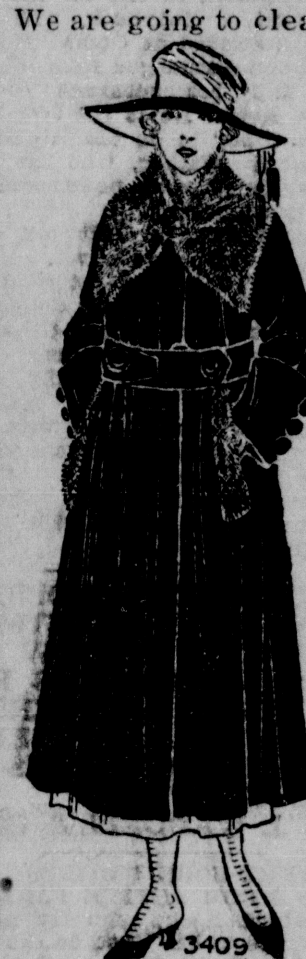
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Bed Blankets from \$3.00 to \$7.50.
Hockey Wool Caps for school children, 25c, 40c, 50c and 65c.

Underwear—Ladies' fleeced Union Suits \$1.25 to \$2.98; children's fleeced Union Suits, \$1.25; boys' fleeced Union Suits, \$1.25; men's fleeced Union Suits, \$1.98.

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See Russell & Thompson for bracelet watches.

Misses Ethel and Mabel Hamilton of Tallula were business visitors in the city Saturday.

Miss Irene Hilton of Oakford was a Saturday visitor in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Nye of Carrollton were among the Saturday visitors in the city.

See Russell & Thompson for silverware.

Put On Your Shopping List

A Flashlight

as one of the gifts that's certain to make a hit with Him. You'll find a full line here, also bulbs for all lights.

We handle the Westinghouse Mazda Lamps and do wiring of all kinds.

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Elgin, Hamilton, Gruen and Lancel watches, pocket and bracelet styles.

Homer Wintler of Woodson traveled to the city yesterday.

George Coker was up to the city from Pisgah yesterday.

Ashford A. Tor of Concord was among the city's visitors yesterday.

Ned Cargan of Woodson had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Abernathy, Concord, was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. William Braker of Arenzville was among the city's callers yesterday.

C. L. Rice and wife of the vicinity of the mound were visitors with city friends yesterday.

Miss Lucille Bolton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bolton of South Diamond street, has gone to Detroit to visit her brother, W. H. Bolton.

Mrs. Walter Andre has resigned her position as bookkeeper at the Cherry Livery.

Loose and mounted diamonds, Lausca pearls, diamond pendants—a complete and beautiful line.

Bassett's Jewelry Store

Mrs. Otis L. Cafkey expected to return to her home in Forgan, Okla., today after a visit with relatives in the city and county.

Mrs. Cafkey was called here by the death of her father, George W. Wright.

Mrs. W. H. Crum and daughter of Litterberry were local shoppers yesterday.

Albert Carlton of St. Louis was in the city yesterday calling on his nephew, William Shibe, and visit his sister, Mrs. John Shibe.

Mrs. T. D. Crawford has returned from a visit with friends in Springfield.

Ira Fanning of Murrayville, was a local business visitor yesterday.

Odd pieces in Sheffield and Sterling silver, or etched and cut glass, add charm to the table and delight the mistress of the house. Go to Bassett's for them.

Miss Lucille Henry of Woodson was a Jacksonville shopper Saturday.

A. J. Wheeler and family of Chapin were visitors in the city Saturday.

Louis Ward and Benjamin Clark of Murrayville were among the local business visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Wesley Robertson of Alexander was a Jacksonville shopper yesterday.

Mrs. J. V. Richardson of the Point was attending to some Christmas shopping in the city Saturday.

Van Stice, son of George Stice, has returned from Camp Dix, N. J.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIRE SAY: Don't blame the boy if his shoes wear out; come in and get a pair that will hold him until you are satisfied.

Mrs. Lawrence Luby of New Berlin was a Jacksonville shopper Saturday.

Mrs. James Smothers of Winchester was a local shopper Saturday.

Henry Wise of Kansas City was in the city called by the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Thompson.

J. W. Woodall of Winchester was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

Dan Keating has returned from a visit with relatives in Winchester.

James O'Brien of Winchester was a local business visitor Saturday.

ROSZELL ICE CREAM
That delicious Roszell brick ice cream ready for you today at the Luly-Davis drug store.

George Burmeister of Arcadia was in the city for the transaction of business yesterday.

Mrs. T. P. Langdon of Murrayville was a shopper in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Myron Herman of Arenzville shopped with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Robert Coats of Lynnville and Prince Coats and family of Riggs were among Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Henry H. Yancy was a local business visitor Saturday.

Arthur and George Swain of Sinclair were local callers yesterday.

MATHIS, KAMM & SHIRE SAY: Felt slippers make very acceptable Christmas presents. In spite of the fact that the supply is very limited the prices are only slightly advanced.

William Henderson of Alexander was a business caller in the city Saturday.

Men's mufflers in knit or silk effects.

FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store

Chris Horner of Joy Prairie was a Saturday business visitor in the city.

George Waggoner, E. Mason and John Snyder were among Alexander residents who visited the city yesterday.

Byron Miller of South Fayette street has returned from Moline, where he went to work for the government.

George Clayton of Woodson paid the city a business visit yesterday.

PRACTICAL GIFTS FOR PARTIOTIC MEN ARE SHOWN BY

FRANK BYRNS' HAT STORE

Mrs. William Sells of Girard is visiting her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Stebbins who is recovering from a recent illness. Mrs. Albert Post of Girard is also a guest of Mrs. Stebbins.

W. W. Robertson of Berea was a Saturday visitor in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flynn and daughter, Miss Gussie Flynn of Clements are visiting in Chicago attending the store show and visiting relatives.

Henry Kastrop of Peoria is in the city to attend the funeral of his father Peter Kastrop which will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Elmwood Grove cemetery.

Men's sleeping garments.

FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store

Miss Alberta F. O'Leary, formerly of this city, but at present a teacher in the public schools of East St. Louis, is in the city, the guest of her mother and sister.

While on her vacation Miss O'Leary will visit Chicago, Ill., Columbus, Ohio, and several points east spending the Christmas holidays in New York City.

\$65 puts one of the best music reproducing instruments in your home—The New Phonograph, just out, cabinet style, beautifully made. Come in and see it and hear it. J. J. Mallen & Son.

MADE SERGEANT OF FIRST CLASS

Friends of Harry K. Onken of Chapin will be interested to know that he has recently been promoted from sergeant to sergeant, first class. He is still with the examining board at Camp Taylor.

The examining boards are very busy just now with the men who are to be discharged. Sergt. Onken's promotion was the result of his efficient work in continuous connection with the examining boards at Camp Taylor.

Sergt. William Eads of Jacksonville, who is also located at Camp Taylor, was recently advanced to the grade of sergeant, first class, medical department.

Sergt. Eads is attached to the office of the camp surgeon, headquarters at Camp Taylor, having been located there for more than a year. The new warrant will add another stripe to Sergt. Eads' chevron and his friends of course take pride in that fact. He has made an excellent record at camp and is likely to be continued in

Keep the Children Well

To keep the little ones well, sturdy and happy, free of coughs, colds, croup, little fevers and inflamed throats, use

Foley's Honey and Tar.

It is carefully made of selected remedies that loosen and break up a cough, stop croup and ease an aching inflamed throat, and it is clean of all narcotics.

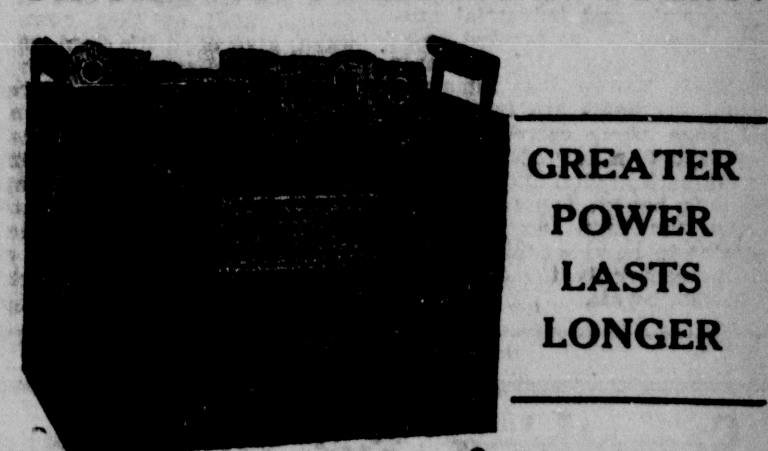
The prompt use of Foley's Honey and Tar is very helpful for whooping cough, and the restless feverish state that attends children's diseases.

M. T. Davis, Danville, W. Va., writes: "One of my patrons had a small child taken with croup. They came to my store and bought a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar and before morning the child was entirely recovered."

J. A. Obermeyer & Son
City Drug Store



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IN ALUMINUM you will find here cooking utensils of all kinds, including Percolators, Roasters, Kettles and Stewpans.

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Something in these lines is certain to please the real home-keeper.



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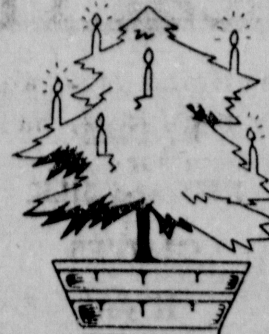
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Join our club for next Christmas, and get your Christmas money in time to shop early. A sure way to have a real, Merry Christmas.

DR. TANNER STILL STUDENT IN ECONOMICS

Former Jacksonville Man a Continuous Worker in Field of Sociology—Sees Serious Problems in Reconstruction Period.

Dr. and Mrs. Allen A. Tanner, who are spending Sunday in Jacksonville, will leave tomorrow for St. Louis, to make a brief visit with Mrs. Mary Tanner Post before returning to their home in Denver.

For many years past Dr. Tanner has been actively interested in sociological problems and in an earnest and self-sacrificing way has sought to turn new light upon many of these problems which perplex present day society. It will be remembered that he worked for a year or more at a factory in Alton and has taken other training of a like kind, in order to get the exact point of view of the worker and to know intimately of his surroundings. In Denver he was the pastor of both the Peoples' Tabernacle and the First Congregational church, in addition to doing a large amount of lecture work. The strain proved too much for him and about two years ago he resigned to take an extended rest.

During the past year, in order to secure this rest and also to carry at some research ideas, he secured possession of a number of acres of land within the city of Denver which had long been used as a dumping ground for refuse. He set to work to both improve this land and make it productive and the end of the season found him with a crop of between 400 and 500 bushels of wheat. His plans in the coming season are to erect on this plot of ground workmen's cottages with ample garden space for each. Some of the best ideas of house construction that he has observed or evolved will be followed in these cottages.

Dr. and Mrs. Tanner are just returning from the east where they spent some time in the study of economic and industrial questions, especially as applied to reconstruction days. It is the opinion of Dr. Tanner that some very serious problems are in prospect and upon their correct solution will depend much of the happiness of both capital and labor. Dr. Tanner's health is now near its normal condition and he is hoping soon to be able to devote himself unreservedly to the large tasks that await.

THE GIFT AND THE GIVER

The gift that you want, the gift that eventually you will buy, is in some store in Jacksonville. The chances are a thousand to one that you will find it advertised in this issue of the Journal.

Possibly you have not yet made up your mind just what to buy for this and that one whom you feel disposed to remember at Christmas time. Perhaps you find it difficult to call to mind suitable articles and are waiting an opportunity to "run up town" and look around before making up your mind.

Now why go to all this extra trouble? Usually when making a shopping trip of this sort you return without having found what you want, just because you lacked a more or less definite idea yourself of what you were after. It was not the shop-keeper's fault nor the fault of the willing and attractive clerk. You just didn't know.

Unfortunately you cannot go to church today and there is not much visiting that is permissible. Why not get together in your homes and make a special study of the advertising. You not only will find it instructive, but really a pleasant manner of passing an hour or two. The best news of the day often is found in the ads.

After you have given the Journal's advertising a thorough reading, your mental question will be not "what shall I give?", but "which shall I give?"

Don't buy a phonograph until you have seen our new \$65 cabinet style instrument, plays any make record.
J. J. Mallen & Son.

DEMOLIZING

AT WESLEYAN
On Thursday of next week Capt. Collier, of Camp Wesleyan, expects to be able to line up all the 239 members of the S. A. T. C. upon the campus call of their names, and, as they come forward, give each his final pay and honorable discharge. With four lieutenants on the job directing the work of demobilization and the under-officers as busy as they can be, the work of winding up matters is going fast. Physical examinations began yesterday afternoon under Lieut. Robert R. Andrews, of the medical corps. He arrived in town the night before.—Bloomington Pantagraph.

INFLUENZA CASES AT MANCHESTER

Thirty Reported to Health Authorities There—News Notes

Manchester, Dec. 7.—The influenza is again raging in Manchester, and vicinity. All public meetings have been ordered suspended. About thirty cases are reported in the community.

Loyal A. Mehrhoff, who has been stationed at Camp Taylor, has been discharged from the service and has returned to his home here. He is the first Manchester boy to be discharged.

Mabel Walker, who has been critically ill with pneumonia is slowly improving.

Otis Cooper of Fullerton, Cal., is here visiting relatives.

John Thady has returned to the Gem City Business College in Quincy after visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thady and family.

Miss Cora Walker, primary teacher, was taken ill with influenza Thursday and went to her home in White Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas have returned from a visit with relatives in St. Louis.

FOURTEEN SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS. OUR GIFT WINDOW OFFERS SUGGESTIONS FOR HOLIDAY SHOPPERS—DAINTY AND USEFUL ARTICLES AT PRICES TO PLEASE.
F. J. WADDELL & CO.

ROBERT ROOK RETIRES

FROM ACTIVE FARMING
Robert Rook, who for nearly thirty years has lived on the William R. Rook farm southeast of this city, has retired from active farming and with his family has moved to South Jacksonville where he recently acquired residence property.

This move has been made necessary by the fact that his eldest son, Leonard, who has always assisted in the farm work is now in military service and another son, William R., is attending St. Louis University. This coupled with the fact that Mr. Rook's health has not been the best of late and he does not feel equal to the work of operating a farm without some assistance.

During their long residence on the Rook farm the Rook family have won the esteem of their neighbors. While these neighbors regret to see them leave they will unite in wishing them much joy and happiness in their new home.

Mr. Rook has advertised a sale of personal property to be held at the Rook farm southeast of the city Thursday morning, December 12.

The phonograph you are looking for, at a price that will suit you, will be found here. J. J. Mallen & Son, South Sandy St.

S. A. T. C. NOTES.

Dr. Galloway of the faculty of Beloit college made a valuable address Saturday night at Illinois college to members of the S. A. T. C. unit. His theme was "Sex Hygiene" and the lecture was illustrated with a government film. The message was one of the most interesting kind and the attention of the men was held from beginning to end. Dr. Galloway will speak at McKendree college today and the University of Illinois tomorrow. He is making a tour of S. A. T. C. units.

Vesper service will be held this afternoon at Illinois college for the men of the unit, in accordance with arrangements made by Rev. W. E. Collins, Y. M. C. A. secretary in charge. This will possibly be the last vesper service before demobilization.

The members of the unit are now confidently expecting to receive their uniforms in the course of the next few days. The uniforms, it is said, will arrive today or tomorrow and an order from the war department was received Friday night authorizing distribution.

Wanted—Reliable night fireman.
Joseph Heintz's Sons.

J. E. SHIBE BUYS GILLHAM FARM
J. E. Shibe has recently purchased from Taylor Gillham a farm of 189 acres located about 2½ miles north of Jacksonville. Mr. Shibe who has successfully operated the Haingrove farm west of the city will take possession of the land purchased March 1st, next. This farm was years ago the Samuel Garrett homestead, and more recently the home of the late George Blackburn.

INFLUENZA AT BLUFFS
There are a number of cases of influenza at Bluffs and the situation does not seem to improve. The churches and schools remain closed and authorities seek to enforce strict quarantine regulations.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Melvin Smith to Julius Ehrlich, pt. w. half n. e. ¼ s. e. ¼ 26-16-11. \$1.
George Ross to William Douglass, lot 34 Edgmon's addition to Jacksonville, \$375.

Joseph King, who came here to attend the funeral of his sister-in-law Mrs. King of Chicago, has returned to his home in Wichita, going by way of Kansas City.

Marvin Thompson of Alexander was in the city yesterday. He is still quite lame from his accident of some months since.

COLLEGE NOTES

By recent action of the faculty, the semester basis has been restored for the college calendar, and choir dates as originally announced in the college catalog will be adhered to during the remainder of the college year. For the benefit of any students of the Student Army Training corps who may plan to leave College and who wish their credits, quarter examinations will be given at the end of the present quarter.

A considerable number of the S. A. T. C. men are evidently in doubt whether they will return to College after the demobilization of the unit. Captain Coon gave a very frank talk to these men recently on the advantage of continuing their college education.

An illustrated lecture on "Life at Old Illinois" was given by President Rammelkamp to the men of the S. A. T. C. in the Chapel Thursday evening.

Letters have been received recently from Edwin Clemmons, '20, Percy Daigh, '20, Joseph Duncomb, '20, and I. B. Potter, the instructor in mathematics, expressing their intention to secure releases in order to return to College. Raymond Wallace, '19, now a lieutenant attached to the S. A. T. C., at the University of Wisconsin, has also written expressing his intention to return to College if he can secure his release.

Among the visitors on the campus during the last week were the following—Lieutenant John Deless, of the field artillery, Ira Fanning, Harold Perbix, Lieutenant Paul Leurig and Fred Reagel.

The Rev. J. F. Langton, rector of Trinity church, spoke to the girls at academy hall last Sunday.

Miss Constance L. Ball, Field Secretary of the Y. W. C. A., gave a talk to the girls of the College in the chapel Thursday morning.

Among the officers and directors of the University Club of Chicago are Harry J. Dunbaugh, '94, Secretary of Club, treasurer, Frank R. Elliott, ex '99, treasurer of the club. It is interesting that two Illinois College men should hold offices in this large and important club of the City of Chicago.

Mr. E. W. Blatchford, member of the Board of Trustees of the College, has gone overseas in the army Y work.

Just received a new lot of celluloid. Bring in your photos to M. Hententhal—Cherry's Annex.

J. J. MALLEN & SON ADD PHONOGRAPHS
The popular Decorating & Wall Paper firm on South Sandy street, J. J. Mallen & Son, have recently added phonographs and records to their various lines, having secured the agency for a beautiful and perfect music reproducing instrument which they are prepared to sell at the remarkably low price of \$85. The instrument is equipped to play all records, is built on the Victoria cabinet lines and of splendid workmanship.

NONE WHITER Expresses the quality of the genuine, pure "CAINSON" flour. It makes WHITE BREAD. Cain Mills.

WAR BOARD WORK IS FINISHED

F. E. Drury has returned from Chicago, where he went to attend sessions of the Illinois war board and the International Livestock association. Mr. Drury has for months past been a member of the war board, a subsidiary of the state council of defense. He has been occupied quite largely with questions relating to increase of grain and livestock production and has had important work along various lines. The board has now been dissolved. Mr. Drury said yesterday that the livestock show was one of the largest and most successful he had ever attended.

Men's gloves in many styles are shown by FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store

County Clerk G. L. Riggs and family went to Greene county yesterday to spend Sunday with relatives. This afternoon Mr. Riggs will go to Murrayville to attend the funeral of Mrs. Clyde Moffet.

SUIT FILED.
H. P. Samuel has filed an assumpsit suit in the circuit court on behalf of the Employers' indemnity corporation and the Clover Leaf Casualty Company against Joseph D. Keller. The amount involved is \$1,200.

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MATRIMONIAL

Hadden-Gibbs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gibbs of 1218 South Main street are in receipt of a telegram announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alma, to Sgt. Harry J. Hadden, the ceremony taking place in Jacksonville, Fla., where the groom is in camp.

Mrs. Hadden is the daughter of John Gibbs and was born and raised in Morgan county. She graduated from the high school with the class of 1916. Since then she has taken five months course at Brown's Business College. She is a young woman well and favorably known in this city and will have the best wishes of a large circle of relatives and friends.

Sgt. Hadden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hadden of this city and is also one of Morgan county's sons, having spent the greater part of his life here. Before his enlistment last June he was employed as head time keeper in the office of the C. P. & St. L. railroad. He is now sergeant in the supply department of the Motor Transportation Quartermaster's Department at Camp Joseph E. Johnson, Jacksonville, Fla. Sgt. Hadden is a young man of ability and commands the esteem of all who know him.

Although their marriage comes as a surprise to their many relatives and friends, congratulations will be none the less sincere.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs accompanied their daughter as far as St. Louis Wednesday.

The young people will reside in Jacksonville, Fla., until the groom's discharge from military service.

You will find safety razors of the kind you prefer at GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

BRASSARDS WILL BE FURNISHED

The Red Cross Work Council has undertaken, at the request of the Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense, to prepare Brassards for distribution to bereaved families of soldiers and sailors who have lost their lives in service.

The Red Cross Chapter will provide these Brassards, without charge to the widow and parents of the soldiers and sailors. To other members of the family it will be furnished at cost.

Those wishing Brassards will notify the Brassard Committee, RED CROSS CHAPTER, Ellen R. Merrill, Chairman, Illinois phone 1505.

CONCEALED WEAPON CHARGE IS PREFERRED

Paul Blue was arrested by the night police force Friday night. Blue was arrested first on the charge of being drunk but at the station it was found that he also had a pair of brass knuckles on his person. Saturday he was assessed \$50 and costs on a concealed weapon charge and \$3 and costs on the charge of drunkenness, making a total of \$60 and trimmings. Commissioner Martin said yesterday that he is going to break up the practice of carrying concealed weapons if heavy fines will do it.

THRIFT FOLK

The pleasantest people to be with, take it all in all, are the Thrifty People. They live well, but do not spend all they make. They are contented, because they have secured themselves against want. They do not embarrass their friends by borrowing. They are wholesome. Join the Order of Thrifty Folk! START A SAVINGS ACCOUNT!

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Quick-Lite Parlor Lamps, Electric Lanterns, Flash Lights, Aluminumware, Carving Sets and Steel Baking Dishes, all kinds of Silverware, Casseroles, Tea Pots, Coffee Pots, Percolators, Electric Toasters, Conservo Cookers. The magnificent way of remembering Mother would be to present her with a Maytag Washing Machine.

The small boy must have something different—Say a nice pair of Roller or Ice Skates, a Sled, Flexible Flyer or Express Wagon. Let us show you this big line of splendid gift articles. We haven't mentioned half of them. Our low prices, too, is another matter worthy your consideration.

A Graphophone—Just the Thing

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Hats
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Cloth Caps
Neckwear
Handkerchiefs
Gloves
Mittens
Underwear
Lisle Hose

Suits
Overcoats
Mackinaws
Raincoats
Bath Robes
Pajamas, silk
Pajamas, outing
Pajamas, Muslin
Army Shirts
Army Sweaters
Umbrellas
Canes
Brushes
Traveling Kits
Suspenders
Silk Hose

Garters
Arm Bands
Cuff Buttons
Collar Buttons
Knives
Chains
Stick Pins
Lodge Pins
Soft Collar Pins
Silk Collars
Linen Collars
Collar Bags
House Slippers
Trunks
Traveling Bags
Suit Cases

For the Ladies

Silk Gloves
Kid Gloves
Sweaters

Wool Gloves
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Silk Hose

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MENTAL HYGIENE WORK BROAD IN SCOPE

Dr. F. P. Norbury Gives Some Insight Into Activities of National Committee.

Dr. Frank P. Norbury, acting director of the National Committee on Mental Hygiene, has written a Jacksonville friend some facts about the work in which he has been engaged during the war period. It is known too, that the facts given by no means tell all the story for much of Dr. Norbury's work has been confidential and he is not in position to tell what has been done about these things or to talk about plans for the future unless by special permission of the surgeon general. Some day the interesting history will be written. In his letter Dr. Norbury says:

"December 5, 1918.

"I received your letter of November 23, and thanks for it. The glorious ending of the offensive warfare came as relief to us all and I count it a privilege to have been in touch with and engaged in the activities contributing to this end. Humble and meager as, indeed, the average activities, which 'swivel chair' patriots contribute, yet the desk work, the councils, the plans for and execution of policies lend a helping hand when and where help is needed.

War work committee of the National committee for Mental

Hygiene has been a very important constructive and worthwhile service during the mobilization, the cantonment service, the embarkation—With the expeditionary forces and now is approaching the important service of the demobilization period. It has been a privilege to be the acting director of the National committee for Mental Hygiene during the war. The director, now Col. Thomas W. Salmon, is in charge of the Neuro-Psychiatric service of the American expeditionary forces, where he has, by his wonderful devotion, effective organization and rich personality, proven to be one of the great men of the war.

Our boys have been his first consideration. They are now, and his foresight has saved many a fine boy from the physical and mental stresses of war.

"The associate director, now Major Frankwood E. Williams, of the surgeon general's office, has, since last June, looked after the office end in organization, etc., in Washington. He with his push, vigor and wholesome manliness, has been a power for good in the personnel organized service.

"Our first chairman of the War Work committee, Dr. Pearce Bailey, now Col. Bailey, head of the Neuro-Psychiatric division in Washington, has developed the hospital service end of this great work. He spent several months this summer and fall in France and England in the study of the problems of treatment, care, etc., of mental and nervous cases. On his return, in October, he furthered an effective plan to co-ordinate and develop the hospital service, so necessary, important and peculiar in securing results in these formidable problems.

"My work here has been to try to fill the shoes of these three very serviceable men all of whom were formally in this National committee office, by co-ordinating the war work activities serving the surgeon general's office and the securing of personnel to supply the need for medical officers in the Neuro-Psychiatric division. At the same time, the work has been to maintain as far as possible, under war conditions, the usual service of the National committee for Mental Hygiene in its national service to states, communities, courts, institutions and individuals, when problems were presented in which mental or nervous factors were involved.

"I wish I could picture to you the ideals of service which are the potentials for good, for which this national committee stands, and what it has done in the ten years of its existence. It is now and will be, more in the future.

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especially after the war's history has been written, a power in social service developments, in the new field of social psychiatric service which is now in its infancy. Again, it will be the clearing house for standardization of service, in hospital administration, care and treatment of patients, building and all problems including legal and social which may arise where the mental factor is concerned and is a part of the social equation.

The Outlook.
"It is to be an international organization. Already Canada has recognized its worthwhileness and has organized the Canadian National committee for Mental Hygiene with policies, plans, etc., along the line of our own. The national work has extended to children's courts, public school clinics, state-wide surveys in mental deficiencies, etc. I have been interested in all of these problems for years and now to see definite organized efforts being made to meet them is a most reassuring and grateful prospect. The Rockefeller foundation has financed the stimulating stages of investigation, research and surveys of these problems. But it expects after their value has been demonstrated to a state or a community, that they (the state or community) will proceed with the organization and finance the service.

"I count it a privilege and an honor to have been called here to serve as director during the absence of Col. Salmon and Maj. Williams. My duties from now on will be in handling demobilization problems, the social psychiatric service and the assisting in personnel service of returning physicians, nurses and attendants of the Neuro-Psychiatric division to civil life. In war work I am a sort of switch-board operator, connecting and co-ordinating army, navy, state institutions, etc., in their activities. In this service I am pledged to remain until the end of the emergency.

"Very truly,
"Frank P. Norbury."

RESUMES LAW PRACTICE
William E. Thomson has resumed the general practice of law, with special attention to the settlement of estates. His office is in the Duncan Building just east of the court house.

SHERIFF WEATHERFORD WEARS FINE STAR
Deputies attached to the office of Sheriff W. H. Weatherford have presented him with a handsome gold star. J. J. Perry was the spokesman for himself, Benjamin Andrews, John Roach, T. O. Wright, Howard Wannamaker and M. Crowe. The star has the lettering: "Sheriff Morgan County, Ill." It is handsome in design, of the very best quality and naturally the new sheriff appreciates the opportunity of wearing this badge of his office.

Pierced, etched and enamelled designs in cuff links, just the thing for that silk shirt of his. See Bassett's assortment.

FROM NAVAL STATIONS.

Harold Perbix who has been at a naval training station at Cleveland, Ohio, was in the city yesterday. He is visiting his parents at their home in Chaplin.

Clyde Black of the Great Lakes Naval Training station, is here for a brief stay. He came to attend the funeral of his relative, Mrs. Charles Cully.

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CARL WEBER SENDS A MESSAGE FROM OVERSEA

Former W. S. S. County Chairman Much Interested in Reading at War Front About Campaign in Home County and State.

From overseas comes a message in a letter written by Carl H. Weber, which indicates that the several thousand miles away, he is still keeping somewhat in touch with the War Savings campaign in his home county. The letter referred to was received the past week by Dr. J. G. Ames, Morgan county chairman for the War Savings committee. Dr. Ames, by the way, is now outlining a campaign for the closing weeks of the year so that Morgan county can maintain its record of surpassing other counties in the state in W. S. S. sales. This can be done readily if the persons in the county who made pledges for December purchases do not fail to make good their promises. Mr. Weber's letter follows:

A. E. F. Post, Oct. 29, 1918.
Mr. J. G. Ames, Chairman
Morgan County War Savings Committee,
Jacksonville, Illinois.

I have just received the War Savings Bulletin issued on September 5th, showing the splendid record made by Morgan county in the War Savings Campaign to August 1st, 1918.

It is certainly good news to me over here to know that my own county heads the list of all Illinois counties with a percentage of sales of 132%, and I must hasten to extend to you and the other faithful members of the committee my heartiest congratulations on the great record you have made. I am confident that the pace set by the committee will be maintained and that at the end of the year old Morgan will still lead them all. To this end, let me say to each and every co-worker in every precinct in the county that we boys over here appreciate such whole-souled efforts of this kind to back us up, and that every war enterprise back home is eagerly followed by us.

When important campaigns of the character of the War Savings Stamps go "over the top" we gain renewed courage and fortitude, and more cheerfully and enthusiastically attack the "big job" before us.

I am very anxious to see a report of the work done by the various precincts in the county, and would be pleased to have you send me one, if you have such prepared. I am sure all of them have made splendid showings and that each precinct committee has contributed largely of time and effort in order that the name of Morgan county might stand out as a bright spot on the war Savings map.

Again extending my best wishes to yourself and to the members of the committee at large, for even greater successes, I am, yours for victory.

Private Carl H. Weber,
Ordnance Detachment, 1st Army,
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THE FLU SITUATION.

Commissioner Martin said yesterday to a Journal reporter that he was going vigorously to enforce the recent rules laid down. He said the health officers visiting every house known to be quarantined and if any one fails to report they will be severely punished if detected. The officer also visited different places where men are wont to congregate and requested the proprietors to remove seats and other invitations to visitors, which was cheerfully done.

Also officials visited the different business places where men are likely more or less to congregate and requested them to transact their business and then leave for the outside, and as a rule the compliance was ready. Mr. Martin says the one prime necessity for making this drive a success is the cheerful and united co-operation of the people and if they give this and work with him he feels that if there is any efficacy in these campaigns against the flu, it will surely have a good effect here. A good beginning has been made and let us all do our best to see that it is carried on.

H. C. WOLTMAN, M. D. wishes to announce that he, with his family, has taken possession of his former residence, at 216 West College Ave., and is at your service when needed.

DISCHARGED FROM CAMP. Marion Self has received his honorable discharge from Camp Taylor and is now at his home on North Main street. He brings with him a good record of service and character.

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Sunday School of First Baptist Church is Joining in Good Movement.

The Sunday School of the First Baptist church adopts two Fatherless Children of France. War has broken many ties but it has formed one bond that cannot be broken, that between the children of the two great Republics, France and America. During four years France has been our savior. We in turn can save France thru her children. The help that we give is little enough, ten cents a day, \$3.00 a month, \$36.50 a year.

The Sunday School of the First Baptist church has secured pledges for the maintenance of two Fatherless children of France. Since this was accomplished by only one personal interview and a few hours of telephoning it may suggest the possibility of adoption, by Christmas, of the entire number of children allotted to Morgan County.

"The Master gave His life that you might live. My father give life that France might live. That we, the Fatherless Children of France may live, we beg of you to give, and give and give from your abundance, yes, and from your self denials. And your recompense shall come, when you shall hear the Master say, 'Inasmuch as ye did it unto Me,' the least of these, ye did it unto Me."

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PROBATE COURT

In the probate court yesterday Judge Samuel ordered letters of guardianship to issue to Francis McGinnis in the estate of Nina McGinnis and bond was fixed in the sum of \$1,000. Mrs. McGinnis who died recently, left two small children.

An unusual line of stationery—a gift suggestion. GILBERT'S PHARMACY

NOTICE!
Members of the Home and Foreign Missionary society of Westminster church are requested to send their dues to the treasurer before December 10th.

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CAPT. HARDESTY SAFE
Mention has been made previously of the fact that Capt. John Hardesty, brother of Lieut. T. O. Hardesty of this city, has for some months past been in a German prison camp. Saturday Mrs. T. O. Hardesty received a cabled message from Paris which indicated that Capt. Hardesty has been released and is in good health. The message came as a great relief to the friends and relatives of the imprisoned officer.

See Russell & Thompson for silverware.

PHYSICIANS AND HEALTH GOWNS

While Jacksonville physicians are observing the new health board rule and wear gowns and disinfect them after visiting influenza patients, the rule is cutting down on the number of cases

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that can be visited each day. Several of the physicians said yesterday that the requirement of wearing a gown and disinfecting it is a visit to each house means a slowing down in the number of daily calls of nursing.

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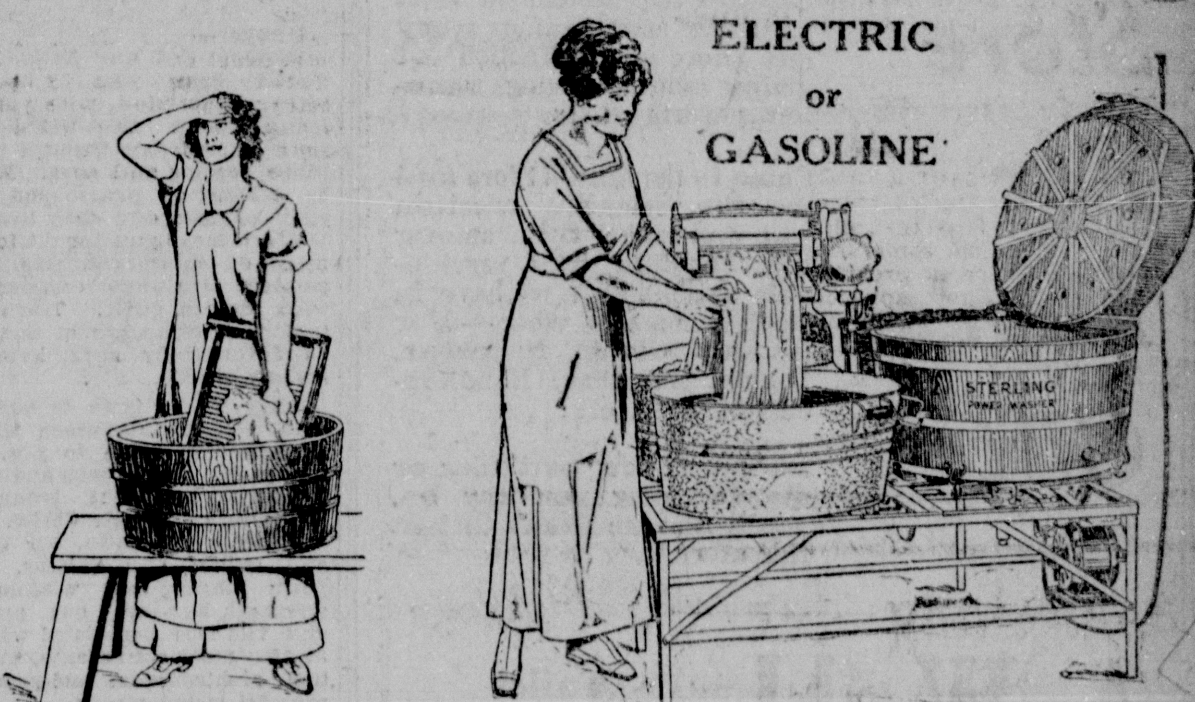
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A SERVICE OF WORSHIP FOR THE HOME, SUNDAY, DEC. 8, 1918, 10 A. M.

Invocation—Grant unto us our heavenly Father to live as seeing him who is invisible, that the thoughts of our minds, the desires of our hearts, the acts of our lives and the worship we render you may be acceptable. Amen.

Hymn—
Jesus lover of my soul, let me to thy bosom fly,
While the nearer waters roll,
While the tempests still are high,
Hide me O my savior hide, till the storm of life is past;
Safe into the haven guide, O receive my soul at last.

Scripture Reading. Matt 26: 36-39.
Then cometh Jesus with them unto a place called Gethsemane, and saith unto his Disciples, Sit ye here while I go and pray yonder. And he took with him Peter and the two sons of Zebedee, and began to be sorrowful and very heavy. Then said he unto them, My soul is exceeding sorrowful even unto death, tarry ye here and watch with me. And he went a little farther and fell on his face saying, O my Father if it be possible let this cup pass from me.

Hymn—
Jesus savior pilot me, over life's tempestuous sea,
Unknown waves before me roll, hiding rock and treacherous shoal,
Chart and compass came from thee, Jesus savior pilot me,
When at last I near the shore, and the fearful breakers roar,
Twixt me and the peaceful rest, then while leaning on thy breast,
May I hear thee say to me, Fear not I will pilot thee.

Prayer—
Eternal God our Father! We would know you by becoming better acquainted with your son Jesus Christ. We would praise your name today through prayer, Bible reading and song. May we be willing to praise and honor your name in our daily lives. We come to you for the forgiveness of unforgiven sins. Your pardon is always commensurate with human guilt. Teach us O God that remission of sin should be followed by right living and loving service.

May we be true to ourselves, true to our fellowmen that we may not be false to you. May we be full grown men and women following the ideal brought to the world through Christ.

Bless our nation, our soldiers and sailors, our citizens. May your blessing of wisdom and strength be upon our president and the men associated with him in the peace conference, that justice, righteousness and peace may prevail in the world.

God bless those in sorrow, in temptation, in trouble. Suit a spiritual blessing to every human need and grant us the fulfillment of your promise in our lives.

Amen.

Offering—
"Upon the first day of the week let everyone lay by him in store as God has prospered him." 1 Cor. 16:32. (Take an offering in your home today and send it to the treasurer of your church.)

Sermon—The World's Bitter Cup.

"If it be possible let this cup pass from me." Matt. 26:39. A cup contains something for one to drink. What is the cup and what are the contents of the cup to which Jesus referred? This cup was not sent from God. It was the world's bitter cup that was pressed to the lips of Jesus. It was doubtless a cup of physical, mental and spiritual suffering. Men and women today are drinking the contents of the world's bitter cup. It is true that the world pays Socrates with a cup of poison and Jesus with a cruel cross. "Man is born to trouble as the sparks fly upward." One of the most unsolvable problems is found in the suffering which seems necessary to all development and progress. Somehow most of our choicest blessings are associated with suffering. There is genuine pathos in the progress of the world. What is the world's bitter cup? What does it contain? It contains sorrow. Sorrow is the heritage of the human race. No one escapes. "There is no flock how-so-ere attended, but one dead lamb is there. There is no home how-so-ere defended, but has one vacant chair."

Jesus drank from this cup. He said, "My soul is exceeding sorrowful." But our lives may be made better by drinking from this cup if we will not be faithless and cynical. Faith, hope and prayer will take the tears from our eyes and carry them to heaven's laboratory where they will be distilled and sent back into our lives as showers of comfort and blessing.

It contains disappointment. Who has not partaken of the contents of the world's bitter cup of disappointment? Disappointment may put new hope and vital energy in our lives. It is impossible to call the roll of the world's disappointed. But from their disappointment there have come the sweetest music, the most helpful literature, the greatest inventions, the best discoveries, the grandest statesmanship, the most serviceable laws, and the noblest heroism the world has ever known. Two of the greatest epic poets of the centuries, Homer and Milton, were blind. Jesus uttered few words worthy of permanent record until he went down into the wilderness of disappointment. Never fear the contents of the cup of disappointment if you do not become sour or cynical.

It contains a blessing. Yes a blessing in the world's bitter cup. When you drink from the world's bitter cup you are apt to begin self introspection. Often you will drink from this cup and then maybe almost unconsciously you will take an inventory of your mental, moral and spiritual resources. Nine tenths of our troubles come, not from environment, not from friends or home or business, but from our own selves. So thank God for the world's bitter cup. Drink its sorrow and disappointment when you must and see to it that the experience strengthens and enriches your life and enriches your soul. The great benefit and blessing did not come to Jesus when he said, "Father if it be possible let this cup pass from me," but when he said, as he placed the world's bitter cup to his lips and began to drink, "not my will but thine be done."

Hymn—
Father whate'er of earthly bliss, thy sovereign will denies,
Accepted at thy throne of grace let this petition rise,
"Give me a calm and thankful heart, from every murmur free,
The blessing of thy love impart, and let me live with thee."

Benediction—
"The Lord bless thee and keep thee; the Lord make his face to shine upon thee and be gracious unto thee; the Lord lift up his countenance upon thee and give thee peace."—Amen.

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"IN FLANDERS' FIELDS"—AND "AN ANSWER"

Of all the poems which the war has produced perhaps none has been so widely quoted as the verses "In Flanders' Field" by Lieut. Col. John McCrae of the Canadian army medical corps, sometime prior to his death. Of almost equal interest are the lines penned by C. B. Galbreath, "In Flanders' Fields—An Answer." These latter lines are particularly impressive because they bring a message which shows how well the soldiers of the allied armies kept faith with the heroic dead and made sure that the sacrifices of those who sleep beneath the battle fields of Europe were not made in vain. The verses of both poems are quoted below:

IN FLANDERS' FIELDS

In Flanders' fields the poppies grow
Between the crosses, row on row,
That mark our place; and in the sky
The larks, still bravely singing, fly
Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the dead. Short days ago
We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow,
Loved and were loved; and now we lie
In Flanders' fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe!
To you, from falling hands we throw
The torch. Be yours to lift it high!
If ye break faith with us who die,
We shall not sleep, though poppies blow
In Flanders' fields.

IN FLANDERS' FIELDS—AN ANSWER
In Flanders' fields the cannons boom,
And flit flashes light the gloom,
While up above, like eagles, fly
The fierce destroyers of the sky;
With stains, the earth wherein you lie
Is redder than the poppy bloom
In Flanders' fields.

Sleep on ye brave. The shrieking shell,
The quaking trench, the startled yell,
The fury of the battle hell
Shall wake you not, for all is well.
Sleep peacefully, for all is well.
Your flaming torch aloft we bear,
With burning heart an oath we swear
To keep the faith, to fight it through,
To crush the foe, or sleep with you
In Flanders' fields.

ZELMER FUNERAL HELD AT WINCHESTER

Burial of Mrs. William Zeller Took Place Saturday Morning in Catholic Cemetery—Robert Woodall to Occupy New Home—Other Scott County News Notes.

Winchester, Dec. 7.—The funeral of the late Mrs. William Zeller occurred at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dugan. Only immediate relatives and friends were in attendance. Rev. Father C. S. Bell officiated and burial was in Catholic cemetery. The bearers were Harry Dugan, Homer Doyle, Russell McLaughlin, Harold Birch, Leo Murphy and Warren Kelly. Those present from out of town were Frank Dugan of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dugan and Mr. and Mrs. James Dugan all of Beardstown; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Doyle, Bluffs; Miss Frances Kendall, Bluffs.

In the item recently published about the souvenir received by Mrs. Henry Keihl an error was made in the statement that the candlesticks were secured from the dugout formerly occupied by von Hindenburg. It should have been stated that the dugout was

formerly occupied by von Ludendorff.

Mrs. Harry Oakes, Royal Oaks and E. L. Kendall of Bluffs were transacting legal business here Saturday.

Mrs. Charles Frank and sister, Miss Sallie Dimmett left Saturday afternoon for Brighton to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Abbott of Naples are here for a few days' visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Parkinson returned Friday from Waverly, where they have been visiting relatives.

Harry Kirkman and Miss Nellie Lashmet were able to return to their work in the Watt store Saturday after an illness of influenza.

Mrs. George Buckley and little son returned to their home Saturday in Beardstown after a visit with relatives.

The Thompson Ryan store was closed Saturday as the proprietor and both of the clerks were ill with influenza.

Robert Woodall expects to move into his new home Monday. The funeral of Mrs. Herbert McLaughlin will occur at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon at Winchester cemetery.

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This means that all who get cars of that type in this territory during the next several months must choose from our present stock. It is not large. Only a few cars to meet four or five months' needs.

The reason is this: Production of Hudson Super-Sixes was to have been discontinued January 1st. Then the war came to a sudden end and automobile production was allowed to proceed. But a factory cannot instantly be turned from war activities to building motor cars. It will be June, at least, before Hudson production can be brought back to normal.

For the past four months we have been trying to accumulate a stock of Super-Sixes, but we were never able to get ahead. The demand took the Hudson practically as fast as they were shipped.

Just think, for a moment, of the value of the Super-Six and why it is so popular. More than 60,000 are in service. It has proved its value under every possible circumstance. During the past year and a half, when cars had to be of the right stuff or they failed because there was no expert service to keep them in condition, the Super-Sixes never faltered.

The reputation Hudson made for itself during that trying period has added a new glory to an already supreme car.

We now have a few cars of some of the more popular models. Don't you think it advisable to come and see what we have? When you know how limited our stock is, you will realize the need for prompt decision.

R. T. CASSELL

West Side Square

Footwear Makes an Ideal Gift Because They Are Useful



The shopping days before Christmas are getting less in number. To avoid the congestion of late shopping and to take advantage of the better selections we urge early shopping for Christmas.

Footwear as a practical gift is conceded, there are so many kinds of footwear that you can surely find a place for a nice pair of shoes or slippers upon your gift list.

IF IT IS SLIPPERS we plead for early shopping as when present stocks are exhausted, we will not be able to get more. We are now showing very complete assortment of styles that will please you and make your friends happy. Always a style and a price to suit you at Hoppers.

For the Children

Fine showing of shoes and slippers. Leggings of all kinds for the children. Boy Scout Leggings in canvas and leather.

Slippers for Xmas	Hoppers We Repair Shoes	Footwear for Xmas
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CITIZEN'S MILITARY CAMP

For Civilians is to Open January Sixth at Zachary Taylor Cantonment.

A southern military training course for civilians has been authorized by the War department at the Zachary Taylor cantonment, Louisville, Ky. The new camp is to start January 6th under the auspices of the military training camps association and is to be known as Camp Pershing. Applicants for the camp must be eighteen years or more and will be required to pay their own transportation and \$30 for the two weeks' course to provide for their sustenance and other expenses. The attendance will be limited. Applicants will be accepted in the order their applications are received. The camp will be in command of Capt. F. L. Beals, U. S. A.

Military training is one of the greatest things that has ever come before the nation. It tends to the betterment of the race, physically and morally, from the standpoint of personal efficiency in every industry, line of labor and profession. It tends to physical and moral betterment because it gives people a greater appreciation of their obligation as citizens and a better understanding of their fellowmen. Application can be made to the nearest branch chairman, or at the Central department headquarters of the Military Training Camps association, Consumers building, Chicago. Attendance to Camp Pershing does not obligate further military service at the expiration of the course.

A Southern camp at this season offers opportunity for military training to many men who cannot find time to take advantage of a summer camp in the north.

take of a summer camp in the north.

ONE HUNDRED SUITS AT HALF PRICE! LADIES' AND MISSES' TAILORED SUITS OF ALL WOOL MATERIALS, SERGES, POPLINS, BROADCLOTHS, WHIPCORDS, ETC., IN DARK, COLORS — NAVY, BLACK, BROWN, ETC., REDUCED FOR FINAL CLEARANCE, TO JUST ONE-HALF OF FORMER PRICES—\$50 SUITS NOW \$25.00; \$35.00 SUITS NOW \$17.50, AND \$25.00 SUITS NOW \$12.50. JUST 100 SUITS IN THIS SALE AND THERE WILL BE NO MORE OFFERED AT HALF PRICE. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

IVORY GOODS
A very complete line suitable for the holiday season. GILBERT'S PHARMACY.

GENUINE WHITE FLOUR
Makes pure white bread. Be sure to insist on "CAINSON", the "Genuine White Flour." Cain Mills.

NOTICE
All jurors and all witnesses who have been summoned to appear in the circuit court are hereby excused until further notice.

W. H. Weatherford,
Sheriff Morgan County.

1/4 OFF ON ALL OF OUR SEASONABLE, UP-TO-DATE SUITS AT HERMAN'S.

JERSEY COW SALE HELD AT CHAPIN

McHatten & Davis Held Sale at Burnham's Barn — Twenty Three Cows Sold.

McHatten & Davis held a sale of Jersey cows at the livery barn of J. F. Burnham Saturday. C. H. Taylor was the auctioneer and J. F. Burnham served as clerk. Twenty three cows were sold, the top price being \$154, paid by Al Morris. The prices and buyers are given hereunder.

Oscar Briar, one at \$120 and one at \$130.
C. H. Kormeyer, one at \$126 and one at \$110.
Otis Johnson, one at \$120 one at \$131, and one at \$81.
Ezra Hale, one at \$125.
Henry Alderson, one at \$121.
Al Morris, one at \$154 and one at \$125.
Henry Williamson, one at \$142 and one at \$121.
John Drake, one at \$125 and one at \$107.
Will Hitt, one at \$102.
F. H. Yording, one at \$85.
C. E. Drake, one at \$100 and one at \$75.
John Flynn, one at \$95.
C. U. Markham, one at \$81.
Chester Brockhouse, one at \$71.
Frank Rockwood, helper at \$51.

Nickel plated tea and coffee pots, tea kettles, percolators, chafing dishes, baking dishes, Wear-Ever aluminum ware, electric toasters, electric sad irons and many other useful items for Christmas gifts at Brady Bros.

STOP IT!
In these days of influenza every reasonable effort should be made to stop the endangering proceedings.

There is one thing contrary to city ordinance, indecent, dirty and dangerous that should be stopped by officials, and gentlemen will stop it on consideration.

It is the habit of spitting on side walks, which is exceedingly indecent and uncalled for when a group of young men back up against a building and spit where women, children, or even men, have to pass.

The Surgeon-General of the United States, in his warnings says this; speaking of the germs: "They may be carried about * * * from direct mucus * * * or from carles people who spit on the floor or sidewalk."

And on the general subject, why should churches or other places be shut up, when some business places, visited daily by scores or hundreds of women and children are allowed to be open?

WONDERFUL CUT ON ALL TRIMMED HATS THIS WEEK AT HERMAN'S.

LIEUT. CAMPBELL VISITS RELATIVES HERE

Lieut. Frank Campbell of Camp Meade, Md., is in the city visiting his mother on South Clay avenue. Lieut. Campbell, who was for many years a resident of Jacksonville, took a government position at Washington, D. C., a number of years ago. More than eighteen months ago he volunteered for service and was assigned to the remount station at Camp Meade. He made several special efforts to get overseas but without success. Nevertheless, he has now the satisfaction of having done his best in the war effort.

Special display of Eaton and Crane's box stationery. H. J. & L. M. SMITH SPECIAL DISPLAY

JOSEPH DOWLING HAS LITTLE CHANCE TO LIVE
Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Dowling, who went to Kansas City on account of the illness of their son, Joseph Dowling, at Rahe Auto School, sent a telegram yesterday stating that there is little hope of the young man's recovery. He has a severe case of pneumonia.

SPECIAL SALE OF AFTERNOON DRESSES THIS WEEK AT HERMAN'S.

HEARTS AND DOLLARS ARE RED CROSS NEEDS

Campaign for Membership Will Open December 10th—Organization Plans Are Outlined.

In the Honor Roll call for Red Cross memberships for Morgan county the chairman of the different organizations have been selected and announced by campaign chairman, A. C. Metcalf. Each of these chairmen will appoint his own vice-chairman and other members of his committee.

Rev. M. L. Pontius has been appointed chairman of the county outside of Jacksonville. He will work thru the various Red Cross organizations and will specially organize where there are no branches.

Business District Committee
Charles T. Mackness has been appointed chairman of the business district and has already appointed his committee as follows: Edward A. Brennan, Vice-chairman; E. H. Gray, Henry Frick, John J. Ferry, Thomas Duffner, W. E. Thomson, John J. Reeve, Frank Byrns, Charles A. Pledler, Dr. G. H. Kopperl, T. V. Hopper, A. W. Becker, John Berger, J. F. Claus, G. A. Claybaugh.

To this committee other names will be added.

Mrs. Keith Montgomery is chairman of the women's organization. The work of this organization is very important as they have the residence portions of the city to cover. The committees will be announced in a few days.

Troy A. Chapin has been appointed to the important task of canvassing all the factories of the city. His committee will also be announced shortly. Arthur D. Fairbank will be in charge of headquarters and is already arranging his work.

National headquarters have a most complete and carefully worked organization and plan of campaign will be followed in Morgan county. The plan is to give everyone an opportunity to join or to renew his former membership. The only requisites are a heart and a dollar.

The solicitors will have Red Cross flags to place in every home and in every business house and factory. An effort will be made to get each to be one hundred per cent. No Red Cross seals will be sold this year. All who join the Red Cross will be given ten of the Christmas seals as well as the button. Every loyal man, woman and child will want to wear a Red Cross button.

Division of Funds.
The funds will be equally divided between the Morgan County Red Cross and the National organization. When one realizes the great value of the Red Cross to Morgan county and to our wounded soldiers now in hospitals there will be no question regarding Morgan County's response.

Newspaper publicity is in charge of the following committee:

J. W. Walton, chairman; Mrs. Lillian I. Danskin, Jacksonville; Warren N. Luttrell, Franklin; Miss Wilma Doerfler, Waverly; T. W. Burdick, Meredosia.
Lloyd A. Read is chairman of the committee on window decorations and on poster publicity. He has appointed Rev. E. B. Landis in charge of the county distribution and Harry Walker with Boy Scouts in charge of local distribution. The following have been appointed in the various portions of the county to place the posters in conspicuous places: Alexander—Frank Kaiser. Arcadia—Dr. A. Obermeyer. Arnold—J. W. Arnold. Centerville—George Alderson. Chapin—Miss Amy Onken. Concord—B. A. Gratz. Frankfort—M. B. Keplinger. Litterberry—J. S. Hitchens. Lynnville—Carl J. May. Markham—Robert Marshall. Meredosia—C. C. Hedrick. Murrayville—J. E. Thompson. Nortonville—James J. Loneragan. Orleans—Charles Waddell. Pisgah—Aaron Howe. Prentice—J. H. Hubbs. Sinclair—Amos Swain. Waverly—F. E. Deatherage. Woodson—S. J. Baxter.

J. E. OSBORNE OF MURRAYVILLE BUYS AN OVERLAND CAR
The Overland-Berger Co. has sold to J. E. Osborne of Murrayville, a handsome 90 touring car which will enable the owner to go where he likes.

BIBLES FOR CHRISTMAS
We have a beautiful line of Oxford Bibles and Testaments. What is more appropriate for a Christmas gift? Lane's Book Store.

Russell & Thompson give you the results of many years' experience in buying and selling diamonds.

LEONARD WOOD AGAIN IN U. S.
Leonard Wood, according to a letter received by his parents, is likely soon to be at his home here. For four months past he has been with the overseas forces, stationed most of the time in England. He has just returned with the troops on the Mauretania and at the time of the message was at Camp Mills, Garden City.

PUBLIC SALE
Thursday, Dec. 12, 10 a. m., at my residence, 3 1/2 mi. southeast of Jacksonville, consisting of horses, cattle, hogs, grain, implements, etc. **ROBERT ROOK**

If Men Chose Their Christmas Gifts For Themselves



They would come to a man's store to buy them

HERE IS A MAN'S STORE, devoted to the supply of men's requirements, selected from a man's point of view, to express a man's preferences.

AND GIFTS? Oceans of them—but sensible, usable gifts, especially for themselves.

MUFFLERS—Rich silk mufflers and reefers, in fancy crocheted effects, accordion effects, in plain and novelty color effects from \$1.00 to \$6.50

SILK SHIRTS—An ideal man's gift—tub and crepe silks, and silk mixed cloths—wide Roman and narrow pin stripes—each shirt individually boxed \$3.50 to \$10.00

Madras and Percale Shirts from \$1.00 to \$3.50

HAND BAGS for men or women—long grain or pebble leathers, black, tan and russet colors—club and cabin shapes. \$6 to \$25

FABRICOID BAGS \$5 to \$10

BATH ROBES—Blanket robes with shawl collars, cord trimmed with silk girdle; slippers to match \$5.00 to \$15.00

Fancy silk hose 50c to \$1.50

SWEATERS in rich, solid shades and college colors—heavy rope and shaker stitches—colors, red, grey, white and navy \$3.50 to \$15

Regulation O. D. sleeveless jerseys.

HOSIERY—Silk and lisle, black, navy, cordovan and palm beach from 25c to \$1.50

NECKWEAR—Lustrous silks, from France and Italy—the finest display we have ever made—50c to \$2.50

GLOVES—Leather and knitted, finished and suede leathers—50c to \$4.00

MACKINAWs for men or boys from \$7.00 to \$15.00

A Gift For Every Man is Found Here

MYERS BROTHERS.

Shop Early and You Avoid Crowds

INTEREST SHOWN IN FRENCH ORPHAN WORK

County Chairman Able to Report Three More Children Adopted.

The interest of the people of Jacksonville and Morgan county in the Fatherless Children of France movement is unabated. Mrs. W. T. Scott, the county chairman, was able to announce Saturday that Mrs. Julia Holmes and the Misses Holmes of West College avenue have adopted one of these French children, having agreed to support a child for a year. Mrs. W. W. Anderson, chairman of Chapin precinct has reported to Mrs. Scott that the Christian church Sunday school and also the Cleaners class of that church have each agreed to adopt one of the French orphans. An appeal from national headquarters for the fund says:

"The manhood of France has died to defeat militarism. On the battlefield is buried the splendid promise of her young sons. If the old France, forced into this conflict and spending every ounce of energy and manhood in the struggle, is to give birth to a new France, worthy inheritor of her splendid achievements, her children must be reared into a young generation of strength and promise. The orphaned children of France must grow up strong and fine, ready almost before manhood and womanhood to take up the task of their dead fathers.

No greater work can be done for France than to give to these children the chance of which their fathers' death has deprived them. Their plight is an emergency which must be met immediately. Neglect during one or two years of the physical, mental and moral welfare of the child cannot be repaired later.

Over a hundred years ago France came to the assistance of the young American republic. Today the republic of France calls to America through the voice of each of her sons, dying in the cause of freedom: "I give my life. Will you help my little ones?"

\$36.00 a year, added to the small allowance of the French government, will give a strong, well-trained child to the new France. Will you subscribe? \$2.00 a day. \$3.00 a month. \$36.50 a year; payable monthly, quarterly or yearly.

Every penny of the money collected goes to the children. Expenses are paid from a separate fund.

The committees have lists of French children. Immediately on receipt of your first payment, a name will be sent you. As these

children are "adopted" their names with those of their "adopts" are returned to France. At the beginning of every quarter, the "Comite de repartition" in France forwards the installment to the mothers or guardians by postal-order. The postal-order bears the name and address of the American donor. The distribution being made through the Government Post Office is in itself a guarantee of faithful, exact disbursement, as the order remains on record in the post office archives for all time.

AN OVERLAND GOES TO ALBERT GILLY

Albert Gilly of Nortonville lives a good way from town and bought of the Overland-Berger company a 90 touring car which will help him bring his family to the city in good shape.

OBSERVE HEALTH RULES

In the Ayers National Bank Saturday Red Cross notices were posted asking patrons not to congregate on account of influenza epidemic. The request met with ready response. Something of the same plan was followed in other business houses, with the result that while business proceeded as usual there was little grouping of men or women. Patrons entered the stores, made their purchases and whatever was done in the line of "visiting" was done in the open air.

FOURTEEN SHOPPING DAYS UNTIL CHRISTMAS. OUR GIFT WINDOW OFFERS SUGGESTIONS FOR HOLIDAY SHOPPERS—DAINTY AND USEFUL ARTICLES AT PRICES TO PLEASE. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

HARRY HILDRETH HAS FINE POSITION

Harry C. Hildreth, son of M. L. Hildreth, has recently been appointed chief deputy in the office of the sheriff of Madison county. Mr. Hildreth moved from this city to Madison county six or seven years ago and since that time has been in the employ of the traction lines. He has evidently been paying some attention to politics, which has led to his selection for the important position mentioned.

See Russell & Thompson for bracelet watches.

TWO DEATHS IN BLUFFS FAMILY

Mrs. Marshall Parker and Daughter Died from Influenza.

Bluffs, Dec. 7.—Two deaths occurred in one family in Bluffs Saturday morning. Mrs. Marshall Parker, forty-three years of age, passed away at 2:30 o'clock and at 10:30 o'clock occurred the death of her daughter, Miss Louise Parker, aged eighteen years. The mother and daughter had both been ill with influenza and which later developed into pneumonia. Mr. Parker and six children survive. The two deaths coming so near together, have brought special grief to the relatives and friends of the family.

A double funeral service will be held this morning at Bluffs at 8 o'clock and then the remains will be taken to Griggsville, where further funeral services will be held and interment made.

WHAT DO YOU READ?

Never in the history of the world have people read so much. Can you think of a gift more suitable for Christmas than a fine book? We have all the new titles and hundreds of the best copyright fiction. You should give your children good, wholesome books to read. We have the largest assortment of fine books for boys and girls in this part of the country. We also carry a very complete line of useful presents for the yuletide.

LANE'S BOOK STORE

Fur Remodeling

All fur remodeling done under my personal supervision on at the lowest possible rates. Bring your old furs, and let me suggest the newest styles. Mrs. Abbott, Ill. 881.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for the many kindnesses shown during the illness and after the death of Mrs. Charles W. Cully. Also for the many beautiful flowers. Charles W. Cully. S. T. Maddox. Mrs. Ethel Bozarth.

Choice selections in handkerchiefs.

H. J. & L. M. SMITH

ROBERT LEE SCRIBNER DEAD AT LITERBERRY

Well Known Citizen Passed Away Saturday Morning — Funeral Today.

Robert Lee Scribner, a well known citizen of Litterberry, died at his home Saturday morning at 10:20 o'clock.

Deceased was born in this state in January, 1864 and his entire life was spent in this vicinity. His parents were Wiley H. and Sarah Dennis Scribner.

He was united in marriage near Jacksonville to Miss Nettie E. Daniels twenty seven years ago, who survives him together with the following children: Edith, Ellen, Olive, Ada and Wiley of Litterberry, and Mrs. Walter Roach, residing four miles west of Litterberry.

He also leaves the following sisters: Miss Olive Scribner, Miss Della Scribner, Miss Hattie Scribner, Perry, Iowa; Mrs. Abram Street, Waggoner, Ill.; Mrs. Nanette Acken of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and Mrs. William Nichols, Richards, Mo.

Mr. Scribner was a member of the Litterberry Baptist church and of the M. W. A. He was a man of strict integrity in his business dealings and one who was highly regarded by all who knew him. Funeral services will be held at Arcadia cemetery at 10 o'clock this morning in charge of the Rev. F. M. Crabtree of White Hall.

Infants' and children's knitted sacques, sweaters, hoods, caps, toques and booties.

H. J. & L. M. SMITH

LIEUT. PETERSON KNOWN HERE

News dispatches of the week carried the story of the death of Lieut. Lowell Peterson of Boston, Mass., an instructor in Kanan Field, near Fort Worth, Texas, who was killed when his airplane went into a tail spin. While certain verification is not at hand, it is the general belief here that Lieut. Peterson is an aviator who accompanied Lieut. Harold McGinnis to Jacksonville from Scott Field, Belleville, a few weeks since. Lieut. Peterson was commissioned at Scott Field last August.

BUY A SACK of genuine, pure white "CAINSON" flour, (quality guaranteed) and have PURE WHITE BREAD. Cain Mills.

There is a Grand Showing of Xmas Goods at Coover & Shreve's

This year we have the largest assortment of useful and practical gifts we have ever had. Among other things you will find:

Toilet Cases\$1.00 to \$40.00
Ladies' Purse50c to \$10.00
Gent's Purse25c to \$8.00
Stationery25c to \$1.50
Kodaks\$1.25 to \$65.00
Desk Sets\$2.50 to \$12.00
Hair Brushes25c to \$6.00
Razors\$1.00 to \$6.50
Razor Strops50c to \$3.00
Candle Sticks50c to \$2.50
Mirrors50c to \$5.00
Smoker's Trays25c to \$5.00
Perfumery25c to \$5.00

Gent's Collar Cases50c to \$5.00
Desk Clocks\$1.00 to \$3.50
Guaranteed Fountain Pens from\$2.50 to \$6.00
Beautiful Candles25c to 35c
Bud Vases.....
Baskets—work, sewing and waste50c and Up
Gent's Shaving Sets.
And a great variety of gifts, great and small, for large and small. We will save you money on Ivory. At last—Candy 49c a full pound

HEALTH RULES IN FORCE AT WAVERLY

Dana Swift Reported Ill at Great Lakes Station—News Notes.

Waverly, Ill., Dec. 7.—On account of the recent outbreak of influenza all business places close at 6 o'clock p. m. excepting Saturday. Picture shows, church or school entertainments, society or club gatherings and crowding or loafing unless conditions become

much worse the churches and schools will remain open.

W. E. Swift left Thursday for the Great Lakes naval training station in answer to a telegram announcing the illness of his son Dana from influenza.

Mrs. Ada Coary and daughter, Miss Lucy have gone to Virden to spend the winter with relatives. Mrs. P. J. Turner of Butler, Mo., Mrs. Wm. Adams of Lockhart, Minn., and Howard Burch

of Lexington, Neb., came Thursday to attend the funeral of William Hughes.

Miss Estella Harris has returned to Jacksonville, Fla., to resume her work, having spent several weeks visiting her mother Mrs. Susan Harris.

The Missionary society of the Congregational church meet with Mrs. J. M. Duncan Friday afternoon.

Miss Goldie Cline is visiting at

the home of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Mathis at Murphysboro.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Soidwell and babe have returned from a visit of several days with friends in St. Louis.

Mrs. Mattie Ray fell Wednesday at the home of Sam Rodgers and sustained a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dunseth returned Friday from a visit with the farmer's sister, Mrs. Mabel Howsen in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. James Schiller

and little son of St. Joseph, Mo., are visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Curtiss.

Mrs. Ada Rantz has returned from a visit of several weeks with her son Francis and family at Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Irene Smith has gone to Peoria for a week's visit with Mrs. W. M. Smith.

Mrs. V. G. Keplinger has gone to Chicago to visit Mrs. Charles Denison.

Miss Helen Sevier has been employed to teach the eighth grade in the public school at Meredosia.

Mrs. Roy Crum went to Springfield Wednesday to spend several days visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Henninger.

crowding in most of the Jacksonville churches we have attended the past few years.

Prince Henry predicts that the kaiser will "come back." We are laying odds it will be about the same kind of "come back" that Jim Jeffries pulled in 1910.

It must be hard for Mr. Brisbane to make both ends meet with a mere pittance of \$2,000 per week.

But maybe Mr. Brisbane meant \$200, or \$20 per week.

But it looks like the brewers didn't get much for their money. G. W. D.

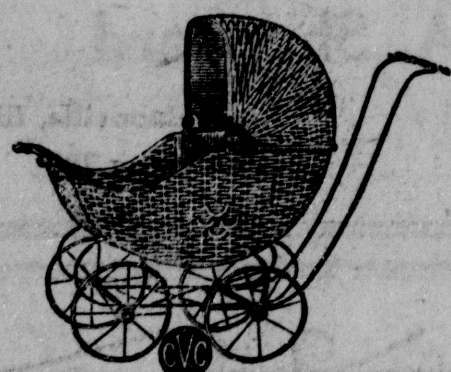


Your appetite should be the chief of your table board of advisors. If it brings you to this shop it will not lead you astray. Let it feast itself upon the choicest assortment of meats ever sold in a sanitary store.

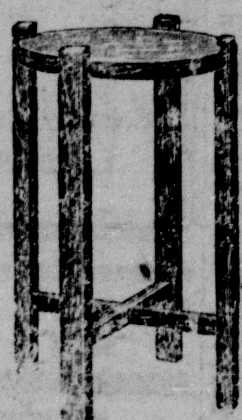
DORWART'S
Cash Market

FURNITURE

The unforgotten gift, a gift that will last

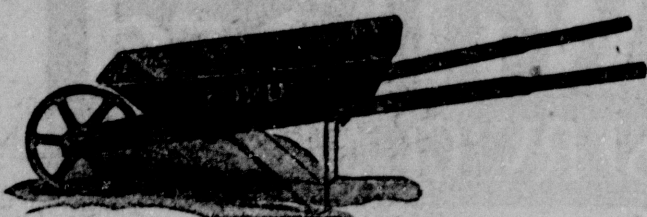


Extra large Doll Cart, like cut at \$7.00

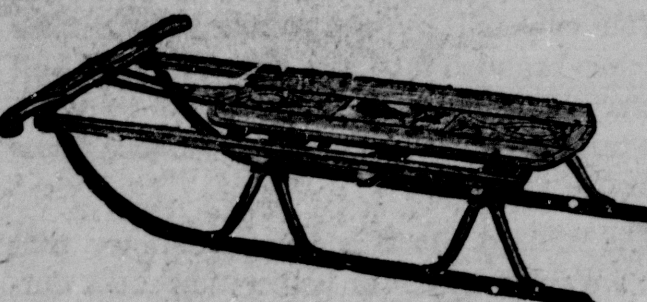


OAK TABOURETTE
39c

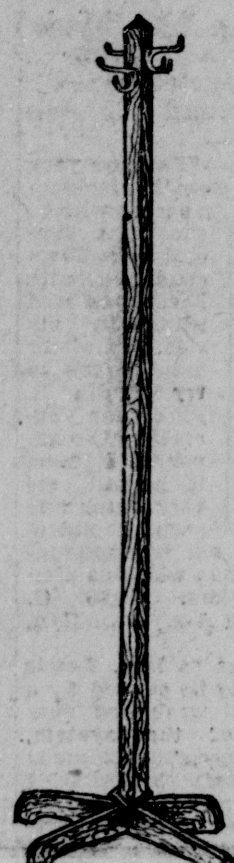
BLACK BOARD
Like cut 10c



WHEEL BARROWS
Like cut 39c



FLEXIBLE COASTER
Like cut, at \$2.25



HALL TREE
Like cut . . . \$1.25



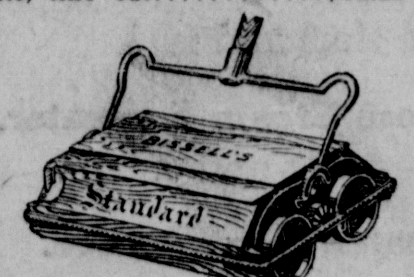
This beautiful white enameled, genuine oak, Kitchen Cabinet at \$27.00



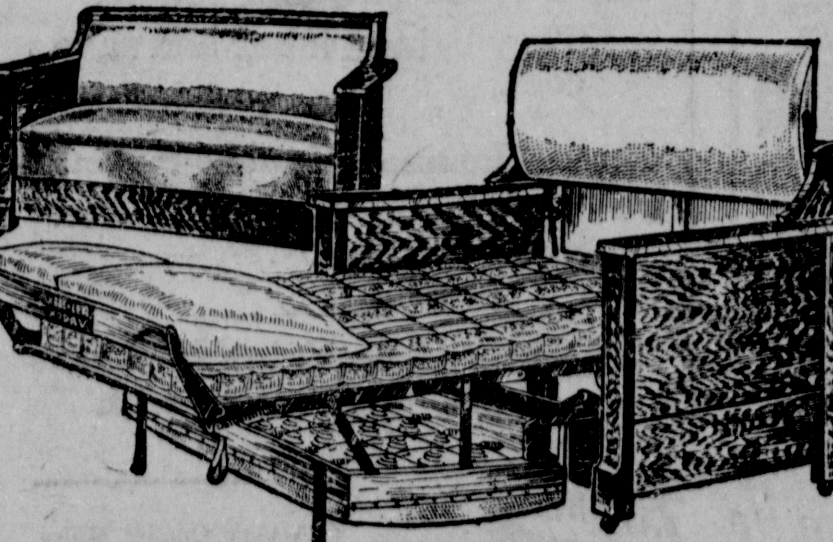
"Push the Button-Back Reclines"
Has he a Morris Chair? One similar to cut \$18.00



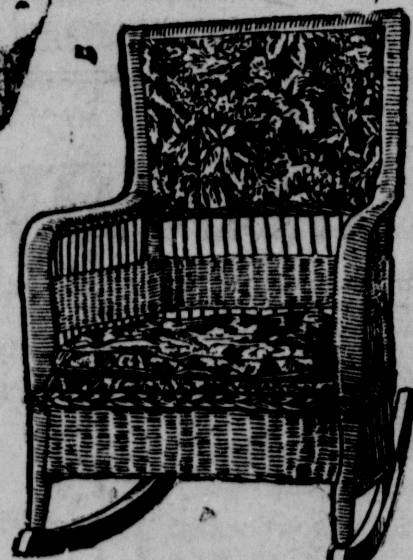
Beautiful Mahogany Library Table, like cut \$14.85



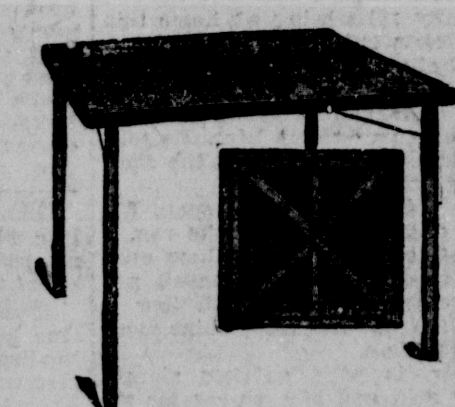
A Bissell Carpet Sweeper would make a desirable gift at \$4.50



WHY NOT GIVE HER A DAVENETTE?
Just a few left at \$40.50



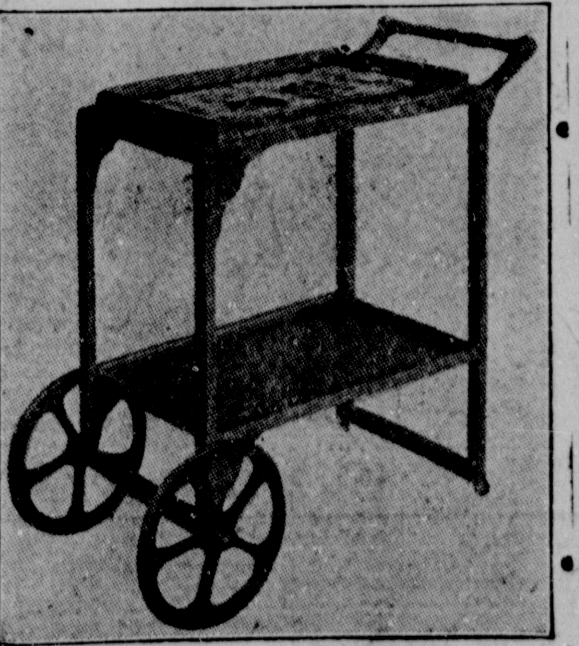
A comfortable Kalex Rocker, like cut, upholstered in leather \$9.95



Substantial Carl Table, like cut \$2.00



HUNT'S Cellular Table Mats
Guaranteed LIQUIDPROOF-HEATPROOF
wouldn't a nice Table Mat make her happy? All sizes up to 54 in. \$2.00



Just a few of these Mahogany Tea Wagons at \$9.00

C. E. Hudgin Furniture Co.

MAVERICKS

Who will sterilize the special officer after he visits all the residences where they have the "flu?"

According to the Tribune it has been proven that ticket scalpers and theater owners are in collusion. Nobody had to have that proven to them except the authorities.

What are you to do Mr. Martin if you only have one suit? Get it sterilized on you?

President Wilson should be able to get considerable inspiration from the George Washington.

If Mr. McAdoo is as great a man as his successor, Mr. Glass, says he is, the latter will have a big job filling his place.

We can't see any particular reason for all of the debate in the senate about the peace terms, as Mr. Wilson apparently does not intend to let the senate have much to say about the matter.

Speaking of diplomacy Mr. Wilson illustrated the "peak" of diplomacy when he handed the railroad problem to congress to solve.

And speaking of the railroads. The government is about in the same position as a man holding a bear by the tail. It is afraid to let go.

"British press chuckles," says the Chicago Tribune. A printing press has about as much humor as some Englishmen we have known.

Those packing company advertisements read well and show that they were written by experts. However, the most convincing arguments the packers could offer would be cheaper meat and butter that would sell within the reach of the average citizen.

Will the health authorities please tell us what constitutes a crowd?

There is absolutely no danger of one catching influenza from

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Letters of Interest from Morgan County Boys in the Country's Service.

From John Sloan.

U. S. Army, France.
19th, October, 1918.

Dear Mother:

Last night we rejoined the main body of our corps troops and when I ran across the mail cabinet, which was set up in a shed behind the mess kitchen, I picked up the S's and started through them in a somewhat half-hearted manner—more thru force of habit than anything else, hardly hoping to find anything from home having been disappointed so often of late, when I was fortunate enough to find three letters, two from you and one from Agnes, and you can bet I spent a very happy half hour reading them. One of them contained clippings enumerating the names of my three friends of the grade of Lieutenant and they interested me very much. Not having Emmett's address, I am going to ask you to convey my congratulations and best wishes to him thru his mother; altho I note his wife is a Jacksonville girl. I can't quite place her, however I am confident that Emmett has chosen a worthy partner.

I hear from the boys of my old outfit quite often, all of whom having begged, for many months past, to be allowed to transfer to even the most dreaded branches of the service, but without avail, and now that the war is growing to a close they are feeling mighty bitter about the manner in which they have been tossed into the discard. They are boys, too, of the type which makes the best officer material in the world, this was demonstrated by the willingness with which they stepped into the first breach which the service offered, and that was back in the days when U. S. transport ships were not conveyed and simply trusted to luck to get across. There is no doubt but what they have been done a great injustice, and it will be very embarrassing for them to go back in a hospital unit. I can at least be thankful for my transfer to the corps and the very interesting work that it entails; it has carried me quite a ways beyond the Hindenburg line and I would like to be able to write you in detail of the sights and happenings, events of which we are a part, but that will come later.

In your letter of 19 of September you say that Francis had written from England; he surely must be in France by now, as American troops, as a rule, only remain in England for eight or ten days, and I am anxiously awaiting news from him, so that I may apply for a special leave in order that I may meet him or have him come to where I am; it is very likely that we will get together, alright, as rumor has it that we will come out "on rest" within the next few days, and it will be some months before his division goes to the front.

We had a very interesting experience the other day when we captured our first town in which the Germans had allowed civilians to remain. They certainly were happy to regain their liberty and came out to meet the Allied troops, most of whom were Americans singing the "Marseillaise". The Germans had enslaved every man, woman and child in the town since its capture on the 22nd of August, 1914, had subjected them to the most cruel and vile treatment imaginable, and their stories were heartrending. For instance as soon as they captured the town, they took the most able-bodied of the male inhabitants between the ages of 16 and 50 and shipped them to Germany where they were to be used in the mines and munition plants; the rest of the people were kept in the town, where the men and young boys were brought down to the front and forced to do the most arduous work, with very little rest and still less to eat, building fortifications, while exposed to the shell fire of the Allied guns; some of the women

were kept in the town to clean the streets, etc., and the rest were forced to work in the fields and truck gardens, the products of which they were forbidden to use; they state that, they would have died of starvation had it not been for the American Relief societies who shipped food in to them thru Holland and Switzerland, and they assured that these rations were cut to a very meager allowance by the time they had gone thru the hands of Hun military people. This was all told to me by an old man about 65 years old, who, even at that age, was aged 35 years; he stated that he had been working for the Hun for four years and he pointed to a boy at his side, who had been working in the front lines for the past two years and who did not seem to be over eight or nine years old.

We left them to look for a place to eat, but were informed everywhere that the Germans had confiscated all of the food before they were driven out and that they had been without bread for eight days. We met a lady and her daughter who had managed to get away with considerable coffee and who insisted that we go to their home and have a cup with them; it seemed to be about the only food they had in the house, but we were carrying out "iron rations" with us, so managed to make a pretty good meal of it for all of us. We met her husband at the home, and we were having a very pleasant visit there until the Madame commenced to tell of their experiences; they were originally from Alsace-Lorraine, which the Germans consider their territory, and naturally were treated somewhat better than the rest of the people, but their story was, indeed, pitiful. They told us of their boy, who was twelve years of age, when the Germans took the town, how they took him off to the front every morning, how worried they were while he was gone and how happy when he returned safe, how the Hun took away with him all men between the ages of 14 and 60 when he was driven out a day or two ago, etc., she tried to hide her boy, but when she saw the Germans shooting those who tried to hide, she sent him on with the rest, and to me it seemed ages before the girl stopped crying. They are the nicest people in the world, and I am going to send you the Madame's address so that you can write her a nice letter; if Mary can't write it in French, they will be able to have somebody translate it for them. They certainly would appreciate it. We are away beyond that town now, but will have to go thru it on our way out within the next day or two; two or three of the boys have gone back to visit them since I was there and the Americans are now bringing lorries full of food up for them.

They also told us of some Americans who were taken prisoners and who were being brought back thru their town. They were being kicked and whipped and spat upon by the Germans right in front of their house, an American non-commissioned officer protested against the treatment; he was struck across the head with a gun, knocked to the ground and kicked until he got back on his feet. The fields are just littered with German dead and I used to feel a sort of pity for them, in spite of their brutality, but now I could blow them to smithereens by the dozen and get a hearty laugh out of it, and I will do it everytime I get the chance.

I am enclosing a clipping, which I took from the Lexington Daily Mail, in which Sir Douglas Haig complimented the 2nd American Corps on our good work. Haig is Field Marshall of all the British armies in France, and our corps is included in the Fourth British army, so you can see that we are still with the British. Altho from the first we have been A. E. F., we have never served with the American forces proper in a "Yank" sector. The 27th Division is composed of New Yorkers, and no doubt the Dunlins would be very much interested in their work, which was very good; the breaking of the Hindenburg line was quite a feat of warfare and it required hard fighting, so I would like to have you send this clipping to them or quote it in a letter.

I have just learned that Francis' unit is in Neuf Chateau, and I will wire him as soon as I can get to a station. I have written to him twice since I learned that he was on this side but have never heard from him. I am sure however, that he has written me, but that my mail has not reached me. Won't it be great if he can get away now, so that we can spend our leaves together. I am sure that I can get mine as soon as we get into a rest area, and whether or not he can get away, I will spend mine with him. Anyway, a "life of luxury" would ruin me for the time being, so I shall stay in practice. Will write to you as soon as I hear from Francis and let you know what arrangements we have made.

Have loads of souvenirs, among them a German machine gun complete, on the lorries in the motor train, and I hope they get back alright. Of course, it will be impossible for me to send them home now, but will leave them with some good French family to be sent to me after the war. I also have a big German copper shell case, which stands about three feet high, and which

will make a dandy umbrella case, or rack rather.

Write soon and never worry about anything, as you can rest assured that we'll be alright at all times.

With my best wishes to you all,

As always,
John.

P. S. Tell father not to work too hard on the gardens; think they would be the best if he never did anything but plant the seed.

From Pvt. Claude S. Bradley

Mrs. Virgil Edwards is in receipt of the following letter from her brother, Claude S. Bradley, written from a hospital in France where the young soldier was recovering from the effects of a gas attack. At the time of his enlistment at Jefferson Barracks a year ago last October, the young man was but seventeen years of age. His letter follows:

Nov. 2, 1918.

Dear Sister:

I will try and write you a few lines today to let you know how I am. I am at present in a hospital suffering from a gas attack three days ago. It affected my eyes and throat mostly. My eyes are better today but my throat is still sore.

I have often wondered why I do not hear from you any more. I hear from my friends back in dear old Peoria quite often. If you think anything of your brother, you had better write to me.

I have been over the top twice now so you can see I have not been in France for six months for nothing.

Well sister, I will close for this time, as I am going to get to bed soon, and have my eyes attended to. I remain as ever,

Your loving brother,
Pvt. Claude S. Bradley,
Machine Gun Battalion,
American Expeditionary Forces.

From Pvt. Robert P. Lewis.

The following letter was written to his mother in this city by Private Robert P. Lewis, who is a member of Co. A, 303d Pioneer Infantry, A. E. F., somewhere in France. Somewhere in France, Nov. 3, 1918.

Dear Mother:

I am writing a few lines to let you know that I am well and hope that all at home are the same. It has been about two months since I have heard from home and I am very anxious to hear the news. All the boys over here are well and I don't think any of them regrets the trip. We can all sleep better at night now than was the case when we first arrived. Since we have got used to the noise we don't pay much attention to one bursting around us now. We very often stop and watch a battle in the air. We may miss being at home this Christmas but we will be at home long before the next. You can call Mr. Starks up and tell him that Charley is getting along fine and not to worry about him. He told me that he was having the time of his life.

We will all be home soon. We have got the Huns on the run. I haven't seen any of the boys over here that I know. It hasn't got very cold over here yet. Saw a little ice one morning, rains most all the time.

How is papa getting along? Don't you and him worry for we will all be home soon. When you write send me Will Blue and Yank's addresses. How are all

the children getting along? Give all my best. Will close for this time.

Your loving son,
Pvt. Robert P. Lewis,
Co. A, 303d Pioneer Infantry,
American E. F.,
via New York

P. S. Will soon be in a land where people greet you with good morning instead of bonzoor.

From Private Manuel Darush.

Mrs. Mary Darush of W. Railroad street is just in receipt of the following letter from her son, Private Manuel Darush, who is with Co. F, 52nd Infantry, A. E. F., "somewhere in France." Somewhere in France, Oct. 25, 1918.

Dear Mother and Father:

Just a few lines to let you know that I am still alive and that I am enjoying life to the fullest extent. Since I wrote you last I have been in the trenches and back out of them again. I am now at what they call a rest camp with nothing to do but sleep, eat and drill, but I don't know how long we will stay for since I have been in the army it has been here today, gone tomorrow. We may stay here for weeks and again it may be hours.

How is Joe getting along with the marines? Do you all ever hear from him? If you have let me know and send me his address so

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WITH THE COLORS

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that I can write him a few lines and let him know mine. They sure are knocking the Germans off according to the papers over here and it looks like it won't be long before the Yanks will be marching through Berlin if they keep going like they have been, for it don't seem to be any letting up on their drive.

How did the last draft strike Jacksonville? Pretty hard I reckon. Did it get Tony and John? How did it strike him? How is the potato crop, was it good or bad or have you all dug them yet? The people over here are digging their's now and their crop is about twice as large as our crop is per acre. How is father? Is he staying at home or is he at work? Ask him for me, how that heifer is getting along. And brother Tony, is he still working for the railroad? Tell him hello for me.

Well mother, as I have written about all I know now I will close, hoping this finds you and the rest of the folks in the best of health. I remain

Your loving son,

Manuel.
Private Manuel Darush, Co. F,
52 Inf. American E. F. via New York, A. P. A. 777.

Walter Burl Taylor Writes to His Wife.

November 3.

My Dear Wife:

I am well and hope you and mother are the same. I hardly know what to write as you know writing is always my hardest job. I have a lot I could write but owing to the censorship I cannot. But as I told you in my last letter things I could tell you would make the hair stand straight up on your head. Then I have seen some beautiful scenery also. Well we are now at a resting place. I do not know for how long but I have been real busy for about sixty days. You can tell anyone who asks of me that I have been on the front lines twice and got away without even a scratch. That is some luck and I thank the Lord for giving me such luck. But I do not know how long it will be before I have to go to the front again. I sent you my army number. Be sure to put it down in a book. Well, dear, I have now been in the army one year and seven days. And have not seen you for nine months and seven days. I have never received that button photo of you that you sent to camp. I guess it is lost. When have you heard from Mama and Mame. Be sure to visit them. I would write to James but I guess he will be over here soon.

Good bye.
Your husband until death.
Corporal Walter Burl Taylor,
Field Signal Bn. A. E. F.

From Private John Carl.

The following letter has been received by Thomas Calver of the Princess Candy Co., from his nephew John Carl, now billeting clerk with Co. F, 147th Infantry, A. E. F.

Somewhere in Belgium.

Dear Uncle—
I received your letter the other day and I was glad to hear from you. I wish you would write me a little often so I can know how you are getting along and how business is. I know that business cannot be as good as formerly for there are so many boys gone by now. I am glad that the girls are doing their part and doing their best to keep the wheels turning.

Well, I am sorry to hear that you may be taken for the army, and I hope peace will be declared before they take you. I think it is only a matter of a few days. (Just this minute the captain came in and told me that it is official that the Kaiser has abdicated. That's good news. Today is Sunday and tomorrow we will know what the Germans will do because they were given until tomorrow noon to answer if they want an armistice under the Allied conditions.)

I have had a good position here now for some time. I have been with the divisional headquarters as a billeting clerk and I like it fine. I am with the officers most of the time and I get a good many news items. Well, this will be all for this time. Written often.

Yours respectfully,
John.

Co. F, 147th Inf.,
A. E. F., A. P. O., 763.

From Rondel Bartlett.

Mrs. F. O. Shelburn, 953 East College avenue, has received the following letter from her brother, Rondel Bartlett, Co. B, 345th Infantry, A. E. F.:

France, Nov. 1, 1918
Dear Sister and Family—
As it has been several weeks since I wrote to you I thought I had better get busy. I am feeling fine and hope this will find you the same. We are in France but I don't like this country as well as the U. S.; they are behind the times here in everything and all look two thousand years old. They are not anywhere near up with the U. S. They are so far behind that the toads walk instead of hon. I found one walking here the other night and had a whole bunch of boys looking at it.

Their main crop here is grapes. And they just about thrive on wine but I don't like it for it is so much like drinking vinegar. We saw some pretty places over here all right but I imagine it isn't any place for a poor man to

live. I think the prettiest country I saw was in England.

We had a nice trip across the big pond and I wasn't a bit sick but when we crossed the English channel a week or so later it surely was rough and talk about being sick! We were a sick bunch. The old boat would turn on its side until it seemed as if it would turn over and it was night in addition.

We are quite a ways from the front yet and from the way things are going I don't think we shall ever see it. But we may yet for if the officers get into the notion we can be right in the fight in less than a week.

Wish I could see all of you. I have had but one letter from home since the 2nd of August. I am sending you a handkerchief for Xmas; hope you will like it. It is time for retreat and I must close. Tell Fritz and the kids hello and Merry Xmas.

Your brother,

Rondel Bartlett

(The handkerchief the young man mentions was truly a beautiful piece of work. It was silk and the needle work on it was simply exquisite.)

Son Writes From France.

Mrs. L. P. Spires of North Pine street has received word from her son, Lloyd, who is with the 84th Division of the Medical Department. He sent several views home showing the mess hall, the office where he works, and house where his room is. The town where he is located at is Mussidan, France, and is very old. The last letter which was received dated November 8th, and was mailed the morning the armistice was signed. Before he mailed it he wrote a few words at the bottom of the letter saying that every body was excited that something would be doing soon. Says he is well and sends his regards to his many friends. Mrs. Spires has another son, Glen Spires, in the service. He is working with the exemption board at Hillsboro, Illinois, was home to spend Thanksgiving with his mother and expected to return Saturday evening.

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Meredosia, Dec. 7.—Misses Sommers Hale, Iona Bushnell, Lena Kappel, Alma Duvendack, Ella Meier and Freida Barth were Quincy shoppers Thursday.

A. E. Deatherage of Beardstown has been spending the week here installing the fixture in Mrs. Mary Brockhuser's bath room that she just recently added to her home.

Mrs. Henry Naylor is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Deppie in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Brakeville have arrived home from several weeks visit with relatives in Alto.

Boyd Pond was a business visitor in Beardstown Tuesday.

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Undertaker Henry Berger was called to Versailles Wednesday to conduct the funeral of Benjamin Robinson. L. F. Berger attended the funeral also.

News reached here this week of the death of George Heavener at his home in Carbon, Ind., from pneumonia. Mr. Heavener was recently a resident of this place. He leaves a wife and one small child.

Miss Helen Sevier of Waverly arrived this week to teach the seventh and eighth grades in our school. Mrs. Sada Wilsey of Pittsfield resigning. Miss Gladys Galaway is assisting in the high school during Miss Green's illness of influenza at her home in Naples.

Emil Brockhouse returned home Thursday from Camp Taylor, Ky., where he has been for

several months in the service. Mr. Brockhouse was honorably discharged as demobilizing has begun at that camp.

Mrs. Effa Kappel had the misfortune to fall into an open cellarway at her home Wednesday. Fortunately she was not seriously injured but received a dislocation and fracture of the shoulder.

There has been several new cases of influenza developed the

past week but all are doing nicely.

At a meeting of the Methodist Sunday school board Wednesday evening it was decided that the yearly Christmas entertainment would not be held this year on account of the prevailing epidemic of influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stoffer and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McLain of near Arenzville motored to this

city Thursday and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McLain. Mrs. Howard Rhodes who has been teaching at Nebo has returned home on account of influenza epidemic there.

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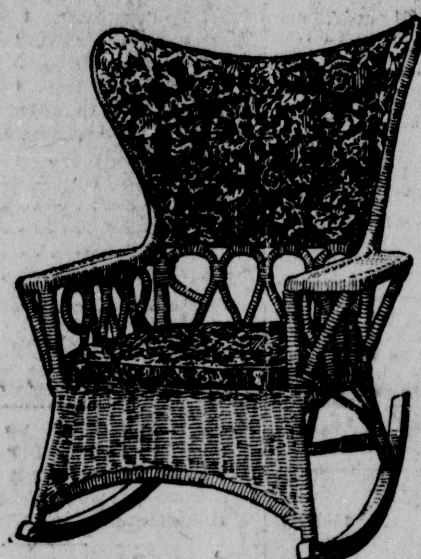
The funeral of Peter Kas-trup will be held at Diana Grove cemetery this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Andre & Andre

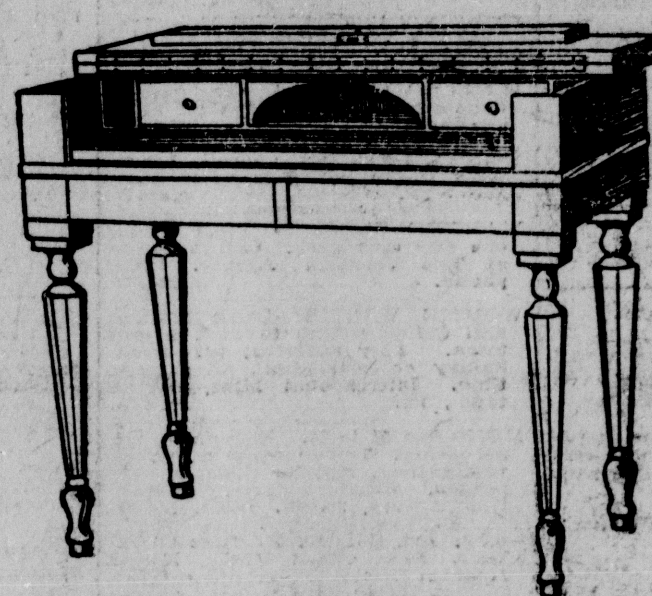
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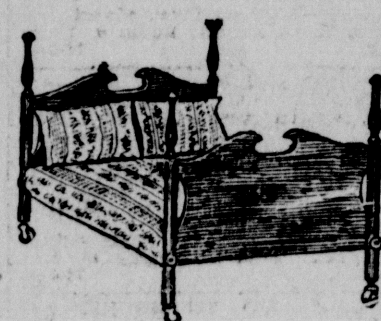
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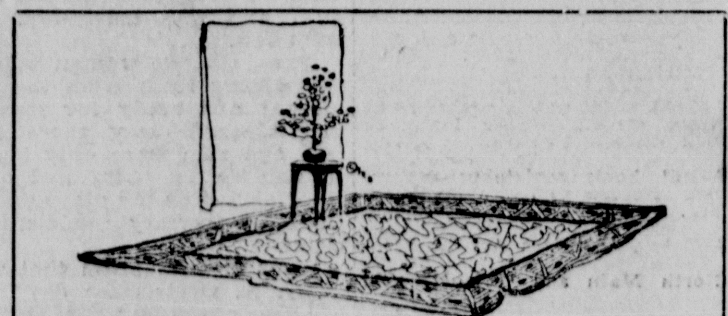
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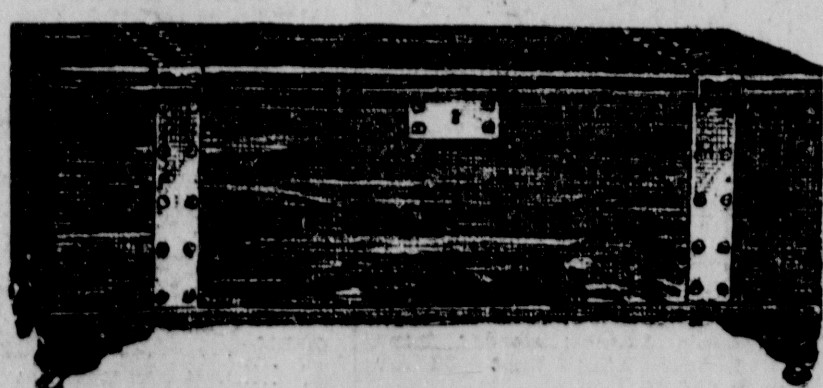
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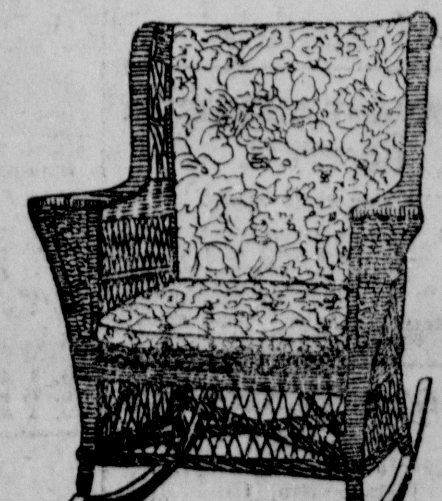


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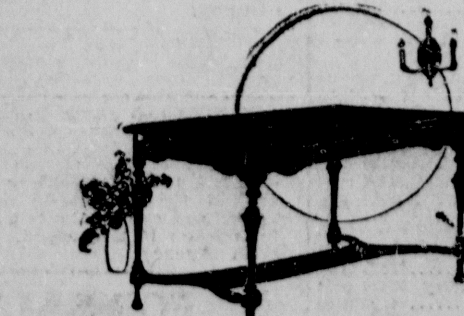


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